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Jewish Planes Bomb Arab Points In Holy Land

Issue Of Peace Or War May Be Just Month Off

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OTTAWA—The measured hopefulness of a few weeks ago over the international situation has deteriorated into the deepest gloom which has enshrouded this capital since the close of World War II.

Cabinet ministers obviously are more anxious than they have been at any time since 1945.

Informed quarters attribute their apprehension to a realization that the situation of Soviet aggression has reached the point where no longer can diplomatic moves or the frowning of world opinion be relied upon to check it, but where resolute action will have to be taken by the democratic powers.

A high source told me the talks now in progress in the cabinet are proceeding on the basis that the issue of world peace or another world war will come to a head about a month hence, and that the government must be in readiness to make a probably instant and certainly fateful decision at that time.

There still survives hope that war may be avoided. But the best informed of the cabinet ministers no longer harbor the belief that such a hope is even a 50-50 prospect.

Only one feature relieves the grim picture. That is the belief that if there is no outbreak during the next month or six weeks, then war may be avoided for a long time to come.

Primarily there is the feature of initiative. It is upon this factor of strategic advantage that democratic diplomacy now is concentrating. And it is a lesson which the diplomatic nations have learned the hard way.

For instance, back in pre-1914 days, then in the events leading up to 1939, and finally in the "cold" war of the past two years, the advantage of initiative always has been grasped and held by the opponents of democracy. Always reluctant to resort to war, the freedom-loving nations have yielded advantage after advantage rather than accept war as inevitable. The result has been a heavy handicap to their cause when war finally has had to be joined.

TO TAKE INITIATIVE

The state departments of the democratic nations now are known reliably here to have resolved that this state of affairs must end. Events are now in the making which will seize the initiative in diplomacy for the democratic powers.

How the authoritarian nations will react to this will determine the state of world peace. If they challenge it, war is regarded as inevitable.

On the other hand, if the leadership of the democratic nations is accepted and co-operation extended to their proposals for the maintenance of world peace, then the shadow of war will be lifted from the international scene, and lifted probably for a long time to come.

2 Children Asphyxiated By Smoke

Smoldering floor and wall produced smoke which asphyxiated two Kissinger children.

JOAN, aged 3½.

JOHN, aged 2½.

Four-Hour Fight Fails To Revive Victims Of Fire

Good Friday was a tragic day for Mr. and Mrs. John D. Kissinger, 439 Richmond Avenue, when a morning fire took the lives of their two youngest children.

Dead are: Joan, aged 3½ years, and John, aged 2½ years.

Used matches on the floor in the children's bedrooms upstairs provided the evidence of how the fire had started.

ASPHYXIATED, SAYS DOCTOR

The boy and girl were pronounced dead by asphyxiation by Dr. Leonard Bapty after a four-hour fight to save their lives by firemen and doctors with inhalators at the Jubilee Hospital.

A coroner's jury today rendered a verdict of accidental death in the case of the two small children. Death was attributed to suffocation caused by smoke and gas.

Coroner E. C. Hart commented that it was fortunate the children had not suffered. "Death came quickly and without pain," he said. "This should be some consolation to the unfortunate parents."

The two babies were in their cribs when found unconscious in the smoke-filled room.

FIRE SMALL

There was minor fire damage to the room, the smouldering flames having eaten away a portion of the floor and section of the wall under the east side windows. The boy's crib had also caught fire. He was burned a little. Firemen quickly put out the fire.

It is thought the children had been overcome by smoke a long time before their plight was discovered.

At about 8.40 Doreen Frost, 15 years old, who was staying in the house at the time, smelled the smoke upstairs and informed Mr. Kissinger, who was in bed downstairs.

He immediately sent in the alarm which brought city police and firemen.

LONG EFFORT FUTILE

Lieut. Gray Russell and other firemen attended with inhalators and worked on the children on the front porch. Dr. Bapty was also called in. Efforts to revive the babies failing, Constables A. Nichol and L. Shandley took them to Jubilee hospital in the police ambulance.

Dr. Bapty was assisted by other doctors at the hospital but their efforts were of no avail. At 1.20 in the afternoon Dr. Bapty informed the police the boy and girl were dead.

Mr. Kissinger was the only parent home, his wife being in hospital.

Surviving child is Paul, aged five years.

3 Rescued In First Spring Boating Mishap In Elk Lake

Three persons were rescued in Elk Lake yesterday evening after their boat had overturned spilling them into the water, Saanich police reported. It was the first boating accident of the spring.

The rescued were Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hatfield and Victor Polson, all of Welsh Road, Royal Oak.

Mr. Hatfield, taken to Jubilee Hospital by Constable R. Coleman, was reported by hospital attendants today to be progressing satisfactorily. He is suffering chiefly from exposure.

According to Cons. R. Adrian the three were in a round-bottomed boat a considerable distance out from the north shore. In the process of changing positions the boat capsized spilling the occupants into the water.

Flora Hatfield could not swim. All managed to keep their heads above water by holding onto the boat.

It was about 15 minutes before their cries for help were heard by Dr. Stanley Miles, Brookleigh Road. He quickly had four young people in two boats speeding to the rescue.

Rescue party was composed of Don McLeod, Loraine Miles, Lee Bing, and Macgregor Macintosh.

Food Shipments Soon Hit By Ship Strike

MONTREAL (CP) — Shipowners said today that unless the month-old strike of deep sea officers is over soon, it will have a serious effect on relief shipments of food from Montreal to Europe.

Company officials said thousands of tons of relief goods for Italy and other Mediterranean ports are scheduled to be shipped as soon as navigation on the St. Lawrence River opens next month.

Meanwhile, they said, foreign tonnage was being sought to carry overseas cargoes of perishables now held up at ocean ports by the strike.

R.A.F. Scout Reports Full Scale Battle As Armored Cars Attacked

JERUSALEM (AP)—Jewish aircraft bombed concentrations of Arabs today in a battle near Solomon's Pool, south of Bethlehem, it was reported officially.

A Royal Air Force spotter plane flown to the scene reported four Jewish aircraft were attacking Arabs who surrounded a 30-vehicle convoy. A British military armored car was disabled by Arab fire. Five Jewish armored cars were under heavy fire.

Police reported 17 Arab road blocks manned between Bethlehem and Kfar Etzion, from which the convoy left to return to Jerusalem.

Two of the convoys were burning and the rest were under heavy fire. The Jewish armored vehicles under fire were believed to contain reinforcements dispatched to help the convoy.

DID NOT REPORT

A government spokesman said the convoy traveled from Jerusalem to Kfar Etzion before dawn "without reporting to security forces" and was returning when the attack began.

An official statement said the fate of occupants of the disabled British armored car was unknown.

A five-mile line of gunfire—from Beit Jala, north of Bethlehem, to the commercial centre in midtown Jerusalem—swept this city and its suburbs. Muffled explosions sounded from the downtown Mamillah Road area. Grenades and mortars snarled in the Montefiore sector. Units of the Royal Warwickshires, carrying large mortars, moved up along the old city walls, through the Valley of Gehenna (hell).

An undeclared Good Friday truce ended Friday night with the sound of motor and machine gun fire in Jerusalem.

Unoccupied Jewish houses were blown up by Arabs in the Sheikh and Jarrah quarters and sporadic snipping was resumed throughout the city.

Six Jews and four Arabs were reported killed Friday in scattered violence throughout the Holy Land.

Michael McDermott, State Department press officer, said in Washington Friday night he knew of no basis for London newspaper reports the United States intended to ask Britain to stay on in the Holy Land.

The Foreign Office spokesman said his own statement of Britain's position applied both to her intention to surrender the Palestine mandate May 15 and to her plan to withdraw all her troops by Aug. 1.

The Daily Herald and Daily Express both carried stories Friday night saying the United States will ask Britain to retain her troops in the Holy Land.

The Foreign Office spokesman said, "There are, as always, exchanges going on between the State Department and the British Embassy in Washington on Palestine and other matters."

But these were concerned with American efforts to get Britain's reaction to the United States proposal for creation of a temporary United Nations trusteeship over Palestine.

Railway Freight Increase Ruling To Come Tuesday

OTTAWA (CP)—The Board of Transport Commissioners will hand down its decision on the railways' application for a 30 per cent general increase in freight rates at 10 a.m., E.S.T. (7 a.m., P.S.T.), next Tuesday, it was announced today.

A board spokesman said the judgment will be handed down in the board's court room at the Ottawa Union Station.

The decision will culminate a lengthy period of litigation which began in December, 1946, and brought together some of the best legal talent in the Dominion as all provinces except Ontario and Quebec opposed the railways' demands.

On the basis of the 30 per cent application and the revenue the railways expected they would receive last year, the increase asked would have given the railways an additional $87,000,000. On the basis of actual revenue last year, the figure would have come to $100,000,000.

Canada 'Detached' On Pan-American Parley Next Week

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada's attitude regarding the Pan-American Conference scheduled to open in Bogota, Colombia, next week is one of detached interest, an External Affairs department spokesman said today.

The Dominion never has been officially invited to join the Pan-American Union and has not received an invitation "either public or private," to attend the Bogota conference, the spokesman said. However, officials are in close touch with Pan-American developments and will be following the conference closely.

It was recalled that Senator Vandenberg in a Washington address last year expressed the view that it would be "desirable" for Canada to sign the Pan-American defence treaty.

Canada, while maintaining friendliest relations with Central and South American countries, consistently has steered clear of joining them in treaties or committing herself to similar agreements.

Czech Red Rulers Refuse U.S. Call For Explanation

LAKE SUCCESS, N.Y. (AP)—The Czechslovak Communist government will ignore a United States demand for an explanation of its rise to complete power, a spokesman said today.

He said the new regime takes the position that the coup last month was an internal affair and the United Nations has no business investigating. The spokesman for delegate Vladimir Houdek added that the American demand that Prague and Moscow lay their cards on the Security Council table does not alter the situation. Houdek has refused to take part in the debate.

MOVE COUNTERCHARGES

Neither were there indications that Russian delegate Andrei Gromyko would be prodded into explaining. Instead Gromyko is expected to keep countercharging that the United States is interfering in Italy and Greece.

These developments put the next move up to the western powers. The council debate will be resumed Wednesday.

So far Britain has said the spread of Communism must be stopped — even at the risk of war. The United States has demanded Czech and Russian explanations. France has expressed the belief that President Eduard Benes is a prisoner of the Communists.

A Prague announcement Friday night said President Benes will make a public statement April 7 in presenting a grant to Charles University celebrating its 600th year.

The announcement said the statement will be non-political. Benes has not spoken in public since a Czech legionnaires' meeting last November.

U.N. observers admitted the council would have difficulty making a decision after hearing only one side of the Czechoslovak case.

The United States may move for a U.N. investigating commission to be sent into Czechoslovakia to get facts and evidence. This would raise the question whether the Communist regime would allow the commission inside Czechoslovakia.

LATEST

Survivors Of Sunk Sealers Landed

SYDNEY, N.S. (CP)—The government ice breaker Saurel docked today at nearby North Sydney, bringing to port the 38 seamen who escaped to safety when two sealing ships were crushed in the ice floes of Cabot Strait.

Crew Holding Ship

HALIFAX (CP)—The crew of the Halifax-owned freighter Hants County are holding the ship at Norfolk, Va., and refuse to sail until messing conditions are improved and six dismissed deckhands are reinstated, the Canadian Seamen's Union (T.L.C.) reported today.

Greek Casualties

ATHENS (AP)—Premier Themistokles Sophoulis says guerrilla losses in the Pierria area since Feb. 21 total 1,614, while government casualties were 177.

Rebel dead were said 754, and 571 were taken prisoner. Government casualties were 43 dead, 102 wounded and 32 missing.

Sub Sighted

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—An object which Capt. Jack Myers said was a submarine was sighted by the crew of an inbound Pan-American clipper 60 miles southwest of San Francisco today. It was lying on the surface, he said, but submerged as the plane passed overhead. A navy spokesman said the submarine may have been the U.S.S. Carp which was believed to be operating in that general area.

Italian Reds Try To Make Trieste Offer Their Own

ROME (AP)—Italy's Communists today took up the cry, "For Trieste and Country.'

It looked like the beginning of a campaign to convince the voters it was the Communists' idea originally to give the Free Territory back to the Italians.

The Communists used the slogan to advertise a rally tonight at which their top leader, Palmiro Togliatti, is to speak on the Trieste question. The Communists have accused Britain, France and the United States of attempting to influence the April 18 Italian elections by proposing the return of Trieste.

Everywhere in Rome posters in the Italian colors carried the new slogan and urged voters to assemble in the huge Piazza del Popolo for Togliatti's speech. The 55-year-old leader was expected to lay down the Communist line on the Trieste proposal.

In the last few days the Communists have been telling Italian voters that a Communist victory would mean a quick agreement with Marshal Tito of Yugoslavia on the Trieste issue. At Belgrade Friday Tito told Italian visitors there are no Italian-Yugoslav issues which cannot be solved peacefully.

Garden Stripped Of Easter Blooms

D. Robertson, 1024 Cloverdale Avenue, got a rude shock this morning when he glanced out of his bedroom window for the purpose of looking over his Easter show of long-stemmed hyacinth beauties in the front garden.

Some one who wanted to have his flowers for Easter had been at work overnight. What greeted Mr. Robertson's gaze was a garden stripped bare of the spring blooms.

U.S. Charges Russia With Jailing German Opponents

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States has charged Russia with smashing political opponents in eastern Germany by throwing them into concentration camps without trial.

In a sharp note to the Russians Friday night, the State Department said Russian-backed political parties in the former enemy country are "the new bulwark for a totalitarian regime" and added:

"Concentration camps are being used anew for individuals unwilling to accept this totalitarianism." A diplomatic official, meanwhile, identified two of the camps as Buchenwald — where millions perished at Nazi hands during the war — and Oranienburg.

The American note was in answer to a Russian protest that the western powers are splitting Germany — and Europe — in defiance of the Potsdam Agreement.

Flatly rejecting that charge—as Britain did Friday—the United States referred to moves it has taken with Britain and France to achieve the "pacification of Germany and the economic recovery of Europe," and added:

"It is not these steps which have led to the political cleavage of Europe as claimed by the Soviet government, but rather prior actions of the Soviet government and a group of eastern European states under Soviet influence."

Those actions "have disrupted the normal framework of the European community and interfered with the progress of recovery from the effects of war.

The American answer, signed by Assistant Secretary of State Norman Armour, was delivered Friday night to Russian Ambassador Alexander S. Panyushkin and released soon afterwards by the State Department.

It was prompted by a Russian protest last March 6 that Anglo-American-French discussions of Germany's future violated the Potsdam Agreement, which provides for four-power rule of Germany.

Testifies He Sold Engines To Russia

Leroy H. Lucky (right) of Dallas, Texas, talks to Washington reporters after testifying before the House Surplus Property Investigating Committee that he bought 46 war-type airplane motors from the War Assets Administration and sold them for export to Russia and Poland. The committee is investigating war surplus that has been sold to Russia.

Opposition Leader In Car Accident

Harold Winch, Leader of the Opposition in the B.C. Legislature, suffered a cut on the face Friday afternoon when the car he was driving at Ash Street and Tyndall Avenue collided with a light pole. The impact broke the pole and did about $150 damage to Mr. Winch's car. Mr. Winch said his brakes failed to work at the turn, Saanich police report.

Wartime Loot Returned

HAMBURG, Germany (AP)—Fifty paintings recovered from the loot of the late Joachim von Ribbentrop, Nazi Foreign Minister, will be returned to France next month. A British military officer said most of the works came from the Rothschild collection. They include paintings by Corot, Courbet and Monet.

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Leader In Britain Says Choice Poor

SOUTSPORT, Lancashire, Eng. (Reuter) — Bob Edwards, chairman of the Independent Labor Party, said today that if Britain were forced to choose between "American monopoly capitalism" and "Russian collectivism" she must "accept war and slavery as inevitable."

The Independent Labor Party, from which the British Labor Party now in governmental office originally sprang, is a relatively small body influential in left-wing thought.

Edwards, addressing the party's annual conference, said that in all countries "the voice of internationalism and peace is dimned, and the agents of each of these blocs are trying to force us to choose one or the other as if there was no third alternative."

"We have seen how free enterprise has been replaced by cartels and the mighty monopolies, with a few Wall Street financiers holding complete sway over the economy of whole continents.

"We have watched with disgust the persecution and murder of fine, courageous internationalists in the so-called eastern democracies. We have seen the gradual withdrawal of the elementary rights of free speech, freedom of press and assembly in Russia.

"If we are forced to choose one or the other of these camps we accept war and slavery as inevitable, for whatever side is successful Britain will be devastated and millions of European people annihilated, and freedom will disappear as if it never existed.

"It is therefore the supreme duty of every Socialist to refuse to assist either of the two adversaries."

Natural Gas In Urals

MOSCOW (AP) — The Armenian newspaper Kommunist said Friday that deposits of natural gas or methane have been found in the Urals. The account said four electric power stations already are using the fuel, which "costs practically nothing."

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Chiropodist, W. J. Fraser, D.S.C., 201 Pemberton Bldg., B 3252. ***

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Easter is the time for book gifts. Give books to the family from the Marionette Library, 1019 Douglas Street. Book list on request. ***

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Easter Sunrise Service will be, conducted again by the Gideons, Beacon Hill Park, opposite South Park School, 7.45 a.m. Everybody welcome. ***

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Easter week-end marks the reopening of Craighurst for luncheons, bridge teas, and other social functions. By appointment only. For particulars, phone B 5351. ***

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Grouse Nest, Sooke, is now open for tea. Meals by reservation. ***

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Ladies' Auxiliary Army, Navy. Air Force Veterans' spring tea—Wednesday, March 31. 2:30 p.m. 1001 Wharf Street. Entertainment, fancy work novelties, teacup reading, tombolas. Visitors welcome. ***

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Notice to physicians: The British Columbia Cancer Foundation announces the formation of a cancer clinic in Victoria. This clinic meets every second Friday at Royal Jubilee Hospital and patients are referred through their own physician. The next meeting will be at 11 a.m. Friday, April 2. Physicians are requested to phone Royal Jubilee Hospital for further information and appointments. ***

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The annual meeting of the Board of Directors of the Community Chest of Greater Victoria will be held on Wednesday, March 31, 1948, at 2.30 p.m. in the Britannia Branch Canadian Legion Hall, 1616 Blanshard St., Victoria. The public is cordially invited. ***

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The Sons of Norway Lodge social will be held on Thursday March 25, at 8 p.m., at 1110 Hillside. ***

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University Women's Club sponsoring Victoria Little Theatre play "You Can't Take It With You," Friday, April 2, 8.15 p.m., in aid of European Relief Fund. Tickets on sale at Fletcher's Music Store and members of the executive. ***

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We invite the public to our spring tea and sale at K. of P. Hall, 723 Cormorant Street, near bus terminus, Sat., April 3, 3 to 5. Tea 25c, admission free. Part proceeds to aid suffering animals overseas. Donations welcomed. ***

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Women's Canadian Club, Tuesday, March 30, 2:45 p.m., Empress Hotel ballroom. Speaker: The Honorable James Thorn, High Commissioner for New Zealand in Canada. Subject: "New Zealand Today." ***

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Freedom Of News Parley Under Way

GENEVA (Reuter) — The 56-country Conference on Freedom of Information, which opened in Geneva Tuesday, today began discussion of a French draft convention and a U.S. resolution, both aimed at preventing discrimination against foreign correspondents.

The French convention condemns all discrimination, based on distinctions of race, sex, language, religion and nationality, which prevents journalists obtaining access to official sources of information.

The French delegatoin also proposed establishment of a world council of journalists, one of whose duties would be to issue an international journalists' card.

A British draft convention, wider in scope than either the French or American, is expected to be presented to the conference probably Monday, when the chief British delegate, State Minister Hector McNeil, will outline Britain's concept of freedom of information.

Weather

Weather today and tomorrow, valid until midnight, March 28.

A weak disturbance lying across central British Columbia is giving rain over northern Vancouver Island and snow in the Prince George area. In the southern sections skies are still cloudy but will clear this afternoon with temperatures expected to climb to new highs for the year.

A storm centre off the California coast is moving northeastward and is expected to give rain along the coast late tomorrow. The interior regions, however, will enjoy a fine Easter Sunday.

Vancouver and vicinity: Lower Fraser Valley, Georgia Strait: Cloudy this morning, clearing by afternoon. Clear tonight. Sunday cloudy, becoming overcast with rain in the e ening. Winds light today and southeast 20 tomorrow. Mild.

West Coast Vancouver Island Overcast today with intermittent rain in the northern section. Sunday, intermittent rain. Winds southeast 15 today and southeast 25 Sunday. Mild.

To 9 a.m. Today

	Min.	Max.	Precip.
Montreal	34	54	.38
Toronto	42	57	.38
North Bay	15	55	
Port Arthur	9	29	
Kenora	5	30	
Winnipeg	7	28	
Brandon	1	23	
The Pas	6	22	
Regina	—2	25	
Saskatoon	9	26	
Prince Albert	15	26	
North Battleford	7	25	.01
Swift Current	18	24	
Lethbridge	30	40	
Calgary	17	33	
Edmonton	18	32	
Kamloops	43	51	
Penticton	42	53	
Vancouver	42	51	
Cranbrook	25	46	
Prince Rupert	31	40	.36
Prince George	32	39	.18
Seattle	41	60	
Portland	38	60	
San Francisco	44	64	
Los Angeles	43	72	
New York	40	56	.21
Whitehorse	—15	26	
Victoria	41	52	

Old Country Soccer

LONDON (Reuter)—Results of football matches in the United Kingdom today:

ENGLISH LEAGUE

First Division

Ashton Villa 2, Portsmouth 1.
Blackburn Rovers 0, Charlton Athletic 0.
Blackpool 3, Arsenal 0.
Chelsea 2, Preston Northend 0.
Derby County 1, Sheffield United 1.
Everton 0, Stoke City 1.
Grimsby Town 0, Liverpool 2.
Huddersfield Town 0, Manchester United 2.
Manchester City 2, Middlesbrough 0.
Wolverhampton Wanderers 1, Burnley 1.

Second Division

Bradford 2, Coventry City 2.
Cardiff City 0, Fulham 0.
Chesterfield 2, Lyton Town 0.
Doncaster Rovers 0, Birmingham City 0.
Millwall 0, Brentford 1.
Nottingham Forest 0, Newcastle United 0.
Sheffield Wednesday 3, Leeds United 1.
Southampton 1, West Bromwich Albion 1.
Tottenham Hotspur 0, Leicester City 0.
West Ham United 1, Plymouth Argyle 1.

Third Division

Southern

Aldershot 1, Notts County 0.
Brighton and Hove Albion 0, Leyton Orient 0.
Bristol Rovers 2, Newport County 3.
Crystal Palace 4, Swansea Town 0.
Northampton Town 2, Southend United 0.
Norwich City 3, Exeter City 0.
Port Vale 1, Bristol City 0.
Queen's Park Rangers 2, Reading 0.
Swindon Town 0, Ipswich Town 1.
Torquay United 0, Bournemouth 1.
Watford 2, Walsall 0.

NORTHERN

Carlisle United 5, Rochdale 0.
Chester 0, Southport 0.
Crewe Alexandra 4, New Brighton 0.
Darlington 1, Bradford City 1.
Gateshead 0, Barrow 2.
Hartlepools United 0, Wrexham 2.
Mansfield Town 0, Lincoln City 2.
Oldham Athletic 0, Hull City 0.
Rotherham United 3, Halifax Town 0.
Tranmere Rovers 2, Stockport County 3.
York City 1, Accrington Stanley 2.

SCOTTISH CUP SEMIFINALS

Hibernian 0, Rangers 1.
Morton 1, Celtice 0. (overtime).

SCOTTISH LEAGUE DIVISION A

Motherwell 0, St. Mirren 1.
Queen of the South 3, Queen's Park 1.

DIVISION B

Albion Rovers 3, Cowdenbeath 1.
Ayr United 5, Leith Athletic 1.
Dunfermline Athletic 2, Hamilton Academicals 1.
East Fife 6, Alloa Athletic 0.
Stenhousemuir 1, Raith Rovers 1.
Stirling Albion 0, Arbroath 2.
St. Johnstone 0, Dundee United 1.

OTHER MATCH

Dundee 7, Hearts 4.

IRISH LEAGUE

Bangor 1, Cliftonville 1.
Derry City 1, Portadown 0.
Glenavon 1, Ards 1.
Glentoran 0, Distillery 2.
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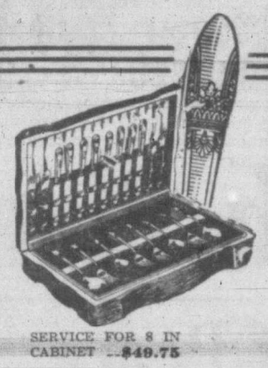

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Storms In Central, South U.S. Take 20 Lives; Buildings Wrecked

CHICAGO (AP)—Early spring tornadoes and thunderstorms ripped across parts of the central and southern sections of the United Staes Friday, killing more than 20 persons.

The tornadic gales which struck west central Indiana, parts of Missouri and Illinois and Alabama were the third to sweep over the country's mid-section within a week. The death toll from the twisters and storms was about 75. More than 40 died in last week's tornadoes, while 13 lost their loves in the gales which hit Oklahoma Thursday.

Friday's twisters left their biggest path of destruction in west central Indiana. The known death toll was 19. Scores were injured. Buildings in several communities were demolished.

A mother and her two sons were killed near Paris, Ill., near the storm area, in an automobile-truck collision during a driving hail storm.

Stormy weather was general over most sections of the central states Friday. Strong winds, rain, hail, sleet and snow swept over the area. The rains diminished today after falls from eastern and central Arkansas northward into eastern Iowa and through the Ohio valley and lower lakes region.

Snow, sleet and high winds snapped communication lines in the Dakotas and Nebraska. Dust storms were reported in Oklahoma after Thursday night's tornado in the eastern part of the state. Cooler weather spread over most of the north central region today as the rains diminished, moving eastward.

Claims U.S. Urges Longer British Stay In Palestine

LONDON (AP) — Arthur Webb, Washington correspondent of the Daily Herald, said Sunday night that it was "officially admitted" that the United States will ask Britain to keep troops in Palestine at least until Aug. 15.

"The matter probably will be raised with the British government soon by U.S. Ambassador Douglas," Well cabled. "It is expected," he added, "that the U.S. will offer to pay the costs."

A similar story from its Washington correspondent was headlined by the Daily Express: "America urges 'stay'."

Readers noted that Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin only last Tuesday reaffirmed in the House of Commons Britain's determination to give up her Palestine mandate May 15 and withdraw all troops by Aug. 1.

UPLANDS GOLF

Qualifying round of the Uplands seniors golf championship will take place Easter Monday. Starting time will be between 10 and 11. Post entries will be accepted.

Riddle—Venice A Canal Not A Canal?

Low tide in Venice, and the glamorous network of canals becomes nothing more than muddy streets. Three feet of water normally runs through these canals, usually alive with barges and gondoliers. But a low sea drains them of water, and the city's water-borne transportation system is crippled.

Hanns Eisler Sent From U.S. To Europe

NEW YORK (AP)—Hanns Eisler, former Hollywood composer, left by plane for London Friday with his wife, declaring that "this is my second exile — the first exile was by the government of Adolf Hitler."

Eisler left under a United States deportation agreement allowing him to go to any country except Mexico and Canada.

Eisler, the brother of Gerhart Eisler, alleged No. 1 U.S. Communist also threatened with deportation, said he was an anti-Fascist and not a member of the Communist Party, "but I respect and have sympathy for them."

The Eislers planned to go from London to Prague and Vienna. They are citizens of Austria.

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Woman In Trance On Good Friday; Seen By 2,000

KONNERSREUTH, Germany (AP) — Therese Neumann, 52-year-old peasant, lay in an apparent trance in the bedroom of her home on Good Friday.

As it has every Good Friday since 1923, blood seemed to ooze from her palms, her eyes and her right shoulder.

The woman, clothed in white, lay rigid, her arms upraised. Her eyes were closed and sometimes her face was distorted, as if in pain.

A priest stood nearby. Against one wall of the room was an altar.

Some 2,000 Germans and Americans journeyed to this little town near the Czechoslovak border to witness the spectacle. Some thought they had seen a miracle. Others said they believed science could explain it.

The Roman Catholic Church is noncommittal.

A similar manifestation has been recorded in the story of the life of St. Francis of Assisi. Others since then have been subject to what has been called "the blessed stigmata."

Miss Neumann first attracted attention in 1923. At first the blood appeared every Friday. Last year and this year it was reported only on Good Friday. Blood was visible to visitors within two yards of the woman.

Capt. Charles B. Fabing of Chicago, a Catholic chaplain, was among the visitors. He said the incident was extraordinary.

The subject of Therese Neumann has been a matter of controversy for a quarter century. Her case has been discussed by psychic research congresses and by scientists.

Just after the end of the recent war an American chaplain, Harold Dittmann, reported he learned the woman was ordered "removed" by the Nazis, but that when SS. men saw her in a trance they fled in panic.

Dittman said he had witnessed the incident three times.

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Y.M.C.A. Skiing Trip Scheduled April 2

Final Y.M.C.A. ski trip of the season to Forbidden Plateau will take place April 2. Snow conditions are reported to be good at the up-island ski resort with the new tow now in operation.

Dancing classes will commence at the "Y" April 2 with fencing classes to begin April 7. Both will continue for three months indoors before the summer outdoor program commences.

From 100 to 150 delegates are expected to attend the convention of the Pacific Northwest Area Council Y.M.C.A. Young Adult Association to be held in the city April 10 and 11. Some accommodation for the visiting delegates will be needed for the night of April 10.

Convention will open with a luncheon at the "Y" April 10 with Rev. William Hills as guest speaker. Group study will occupy the afternoon program. Harold Friemwood, national physical director of the Y.M.C.A., New York, will address the group at the evening banquet.

A group breakfast will be held Sunday followed by reports of committees from Saturday sessions and a devotional period. In the afternoon visiting delegates will be taken on a tour of Victoria and the Malahat.

Soviet Newspaper Attacks Norwegians

MOSCOW (AP)—Izvestia, Russian government newspaper, today accused what it called Norwegian government rightists of "selling out Norway to the United States."

Meanwhile, Finnish - Soviet talks were scheduled to continue today on a friendship and mutual-aid pact proposed by Prime Minister Stalin.

Both the Finnish legation and the Finnish delegation are maintaining a policy of silence on the substance of the negotiations.

Izvestia said Norwegian military collaboration with the United States had progressed to the extent that it envisaged use by the United States War Department of Norway's Jan Mayen and Svalbard Islands.

(Jan Mayen Island is about 700 miles southwest of Norway's Spitsbergen, where the Russians have coal mining concessions.)

"According to latest information in Oslo," Izvestia said, "the war departments of Norway, the United States and Britain, in obvious preparation for a western union, have agreed on far reaching measures such as the standardization of Norwegian armaments according to the American pattern of the leasing of Norwegian territory for American and British bases."

Canary, Quarter Of Beef Objects Of Police Search

City police were on the lookout today for a yellow canary in a green cage and a front quarter of beef.

The canary and cage was stolen from the back veranda of Mrs. H. Baker's home at 249 Robert Street on Friday. The front quarter of beef was lost from a Pacific Meat Company truck on Thursday, somewhere between Herald Street and Hillside Avenue on Government Street.

2 Roosevelt Sons Back Eisenhower

NEW YORK (AP)—Elliott and Franklin D. Roosevelt Jr., second and third sons of the late President Roosevelt, called on the Democratic Party today to nominate Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower for the United States presidency. They said his election would secure the peace and preserve national unity.

The two Roosevelts Friday night issued separate statements less than an hour apart. Each tacitly rejected President Truman's candidacy, criticized the Republican Party leadership and attacked Henry Wallace's third-party bid for the White House.

The country's "most serious concern," Franklin said, is to elect a president "who will not only have a united party behind him, but also will be capable of securing the unity of our country and have the confidence and support of all Americans.

"In a moment of world crisis he (Wallace) is confusing and dividing the country. Nor have the men suggested for Republican nomination demonstrated any marked ability to unite the American people."

Mother Rescues 11 As Apartment Burns

BOSTON (AP)—Mrs. Mildred Vodden, 37, today made two trips out of a burning apartment to lead her 11 children to safety when 44 persons escaped a fire in a three-story tenement.

Firemen said Mrs. Vodden went back into smoke-filled rooms to bring out her four-year-old daughter, Beverly, after taking the other children out. Her 12th child was away overnight.

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STOPPING IN TIME

OUR NEIGHBOR TO THE SOUTH HAS made up her mind to end the export of potential war materiel to the Soviet Union. She has also decided to scrutinize very meticulously any commodity under consignment to a satellite Communist state. These decisions are of the utmost importance to the United Nations and all the liberty-loving peoples of the world. And until the men in charge at the Kremlin have given some practical demonstration that they will abide by the obligations their representatives assumed at San Francisco nearly three years ago the cause of democracy will have to fend for itself.

Little useful purpose is to be served by recalling that Britain, Canada, the United States and other democratic lands were selling potential war materiel to the Axis nations almost up to the day on which Hitler sent his legions into Poland. Japan was getting convertible commodities from the New World in the late summer of 1941. Pearl Harbor put an end to that. In other words, here is a case of the lessons of history being learned, at long last. Nor is it likely that those in authority—either in Ottawa, London, or Washington—will be influenced by the small voice of the "fellow traveler" who poses under the banner of the so-called intelligentsia.

ANNIVERSARY

A NEWSPAPER PAGE IS ONLY NEWS for a day. It enjoys just a few fleeting hours of use and interest—and then becomes waste paper. But in the files of publishing companies and libraries the newspaper page has a rebirth in later years. As time rolls over the dusty shelves the page achieves a new importance. It ceases to contain mere "news." It becomes a record of history.

The Vancouver Daily Province, to mark the occasion of its 50th anniversary on March 26, has republished several front pages culled from its long years of service in the mainland city. The first edition, dated March 26, 1898, tells under a one-column head that "Gladstone Is Dying." A Victoria item relates that "Mr. Helmcken" urged the Legislature to request the Dominion government to establish a mint in the province, to handle gold from the Yukon. And a smaller story says that "everybody in Victoria is talking" about the local production of a music hall show that was "too naughty" for New York. A reproduction of the edition of Feb. 27, 1900, shows the development of larger heads, as three-column play was given to the news that "The Boers Surrender." Majuba Hill was avenged and General Cronje captured, as "Canadians Struck the Final Blow."

August 5, 1914, produced the front page layout familiar to today's readers. The banner line told how "Amphion Sinks German Minelayer." Readers learned that there was heavy firing in the North Sea, the Belgians were showing "surprising" resistance to the German invasion, and German ships in British ports were being seized as prizes of war. The V-E Day edition of May 7, 1945, contained happier news, but recalled that history had not changed much. Today, as the Province enters on the second half of its century, it will carry the good wishes of other Canadian publications which—hour by hour—record the hopes, the fears and the realities of the world about us.

MR. LIPPMANN WAS RIGHT

ON THE FIRST DAY OF THIS MONTH in the third column of this page we published Mr. Walter Lippmann's gracious compliment to Canada's contribution to victory in the Second World War. Apparently this eminent columnist expressed views in that article which the Arizona Daily Star found somewhat unpalatable. For in its leading editorial of March 6, its writer, preening himself on the fact that he had made a trip across Canada in 1941 and another of two weeks in 1944, takes Mr. Lippmann to task for calling some previous remarks of the Star "uninformed and unneighborly."

We do not know how the Arizona daily phrased its criticism of Mr. Lippmann's original article, but we now propose to quote two paragraphs from the issue we have just received, which are as follows:

> Soberly, we say that if the U.S.A. had made war as leisurely as Canada did, the war would have been lost. To those brave men of Canada who volunteered for service, too much gratitude and respect cannot be expressed. For those Canadians who hid behind the draft for "home defence only" and the politicians who sponsored such a plan, we can only express contempt.
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> What would have happened if the United States had made war in such a way? Our men had no choice. They went where they were ordered. Our country was stripped of manpower to make up the losses of the Battle of the Bulge, while Canada kept her "home defence" forces in Canada.

It would be insulting the intelligence of our readers were we to waste space in taking issue with the Arizona Star on the argument it puts forward with respect to the manner in which Canada made war. We prefer to ask our contemporary to study the facts of history. If it will do so, it will find that this country was at war with the Axis some 27 months before the treacherous Japanese "shot" the United States into the war at Pearl Harbor. The Arizona newspaper's reference to those who "hid behind the draft" does not merit serious consideration at this stage. But if the writer who made a trip across Canada in 1941 desires facts, he can refer to several authoritative statements published in reputable United States journals and discover for his edification what, for example, the Royal Canadian Navy alone did on the grey Atlantic wastes in order to support the defenders of democracy in the Old World—many, many months before those gallant men of the neighboring republic responded to their nation's call after Pearl Harbor.

Surely the Arizona paper should try to present to its readers something much more sensible than the statement that "if the U.S.A. had made war as leisurely as Canada did, the war would have been lost." Such an estimate of this Dominion's contribution to victory is indeed, as Mr. Lippmann describes it, "uninformed and unneighborly."

THEY WILL NOT UNDERSTAND

THE UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE on Freedom of Information which now is in session at Geneva has been given direction by a United States delegate, Mr. William Benton, who urges that the group seek to establish three guarantees to be undertaken by the various states. These are: That citizens shall have full access to internal and external sources of information so that "they can never become numbed by a monolithic propaganda of hate and fear;" that citizens shall be accorded freedom of international expression, with full opportunity to air their views and "through them bring pressures upon leaders engaged in acts that lead to war;" and that states be limited in their power to "restrict or intimidate foreign reports" or to censor news so that "other countries cannot seek the truth about what is going on" in any specified land.

These are general measures which, if implemented, would obviously result in a freer exchange of information among the peoples of the world, a better understanding, a lessening of distrust and confusion, and a happier state of affairs for all. They would not of themselves guarantee global peace or automatically abolish all conflicts, verbal or otherwise. But they would mark a long step toward that condition of free interchange and global camaraderie which must develop before war can be relegated to the limbo of outworn, forgotten things.

But while recognizing these truths, Mr. Benton, and the people of the western world whom in effect he represents, should go another step and recognize also that the proposals will never be implemented or even agreed to by the Soviet Union and its satellites. The free exchange of uncensored news, the right of citizens to "bring pressures upon leaders," and the public's right of access to "a variety of internal and external sources of information," will never be accepted by a totalitarian regime which depends for its perpetuation on the prohibition of such freedoms. Adoption of the recommendation, provided it was carried out in more than name only, would deprive police states such as Russia of one of the most important weapons at their command—virtual control of the thoughts of its victims. We of the western world might as well face this fact and base our own actions on its recognition. We are talking in a language of freedom which the Soviet leaders prefer not to understand.

A LITTLE THING FOR JUNIOR

PARENTS RESERVE A PARTICULAR place in their affections for friends who give their children indestructible toy tin drums. In a similar category they put those who make gifts of miniature tool kits that can perform such wonders on household furniture and walls. But we can only speculate on the reaction they will have to those well-meaning souls who go first class and endow households with the new jet-propelled playthings Britain is now producing. These include racing cars, ships and airplanes, some of which achieve speeds of 30 miles an hour. Science, we take it, has excelled itself in the toy-making field. And won't that be a boon to the home that favors serenity?

RECONCILIATION

THE COMPLAINT OF THE SWOLLEN door, which sticks and rebuffs efforts at too precipitate an entry, expresses the reproof of the summer cottage for the neglect to which it has been subject during the long winter. The light-hearted happiness with which the family returns to open camp for Easter is chilled by the cold welcome of the house. The structure seems to object to the manner in which it has been taken for granted, to protest the lack of consideration shown it during the high winds, the snows, the frosts, and the downpours of recent weeks. The sharp, dead air of the interior carries an atmosphere of dejection. The cob-webbed windows seem but to intensify the gloom. And for all the care that was taken at that sad time of closing up early last fall, furniture in the rooms has achieved a look of depression.

This, though, is but a childish air of inury soon dispelled. A quick blaze crackling in the fireplace, the resuscitation of fresh air invited by opened doors and windows, the noises of favorite rooms reoccupied, and the house regains its cheer. Newly-washed windows, newly-spread covers on chairs and beds, shelves brightened by the load of provisions, floors drumming with the feet of running children, restore its pulse. The camp is a sensitive thing, responding to the affection which it contains.

European Welfare

BY WICKHAM STEED
Former Editor of The Times of London

PUBLIC OPINION, even in western Europe, is somewhat confused upon the relationship between the recent Conference on Western Union in Brussels, resulting in the Five Power Treaty of Brussels signed on March 17, and the meeting in Paris of foreign ministers to discuss measures for applying the European Recovery Program to the sixteen countries which desire to share its benefits. To say there is no connection between these gatherings would be misleading. To regard them as pursuing identical objects might be mistaken.

AS REGARDS THE Treaty of Brussels, in view of the Franco-British alliance signed at Dunkirk a year ago, and of the direct interest of the Benelux countries (Belgium, The Netherlands and Luxembourg) both in Franco-British security and in their own security against any revival of German militarism, it was natural that the five signatories of the treaty should seek means of co-ordinating their political and economic requirements. The necessity of such co-ordination was recognized long before the Communist coup d'etat in Prague lent especial urgency to the work of Western European Union. But it is fair to assume that progress made at the Brussels Conference might have been less rapid without the Russo-Czechoslovak reminder that consolidation of western Europe could no longer be safely delayed.

WHAT THEN IS THE connection of the Treaty of Brussels with the Paris meeting of foreign ministers? The answer is that the five western countries who signed the treaty wish to work in collaboration with the economic machinery of U.N. and with arrangements to be made in Paris for the allotment of aid to Europe under the Marshall Plan, but that co-operation with both these organizations will be rendered easier if some special authority exists to provide safeguards against overlapping or competition in the demands of western European governments, and to regulate co-operation among them. Looked at from this standpoint the western pact signed in Brussels appears as a regional agreement designed to facilitate operation of the European Recovery Program and also to reconcile United Kingdom, French and Benelux views upon the future of Western Germany.

IS IT MORE THAN THIS? The future, perhaps a near future, may tell. It appears to stand midway between two wider ideals neither of which has yet taken definite shape. One such ideal is the hope that the 16 nations interested in the European Recovery Program will agree to form a permanent, though by no means exclusive, economic association to promote their own welfare and contribute to the recovery of Europe as a whole. The other is the movement, of which Mr. Winston Churchill is Britain's most prominent supporter, for a union that should ultimately comprise the whole of Europe. To this movement, under present conditions, the French proverb—qui trop embrasse, mal etreint—would seem to apply. The articles of the Treaty of Brussels seem to contain the germ of a real union between France, Britain, Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg, from which a fuller political consolidation of western nations may grow.

YET, IN SO FAR as public opinion in Britain is concerned, it should be said that the view expressed by General de Gaulle in his speech at Compiegne on March 7, meets with little response. In order to withstand what he called the Russian "thrust for world domination" he urged the free nations of Europe to join together "as an economic, diplomatic and strategic group" of which "France had the duty and the dignity to be the key," with a degree of support from the U.S.A. that must "extend to the sphere of defence in a form as precise and explicit, on both sides, as the European Recovery Program in the matter of supplies and credits."

Rightly or wrongly—I think rightly—neither public nor official opinion in Britain is prepared to go so far as this. Notwithstanding the constant provocations that have come from Soviet Russia, the people of Britain are not animated by active hostility to Russia and her group of satellites. In the words of the Prime Minister, they look upon the Russian people and the peoples of the countries controlled by Communist cliques as being all "in the prison van," and they wish so to organize democratic freedom in western Europe as to encourage those peoples one day to seek freer air.

THIS DOES NOT MEAN that the people of Britain are blind to the actual or potential dangers which the present situation may hold. It means only that they are not frightened to the point of losing their heads and courting other dangers by precipitate action. They are defensively, not aggressively, minded. They believe the offensive tactics of Soviet Russia to be inspired by fear lest western European recovery with the help of the European Recovery Program will make the "prison van" system of Communism look a poor thing. This is how they interpret the attempts of Soviet policy to wreck the European Recovery Program and to upset European governments, like those of France and Italy, which have welcomed and supported it. But defensive resistance to those attempts is one thing. A counter-offensive against them would be another, and probably not a wise, thing.

Global Survey

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press News Analyst

THIS vexing question of whether the United States should, or should not, inaugurate universal military training is bringing me many inquiries from people who are in doubt but are trying to figure the thing out honestly and unselfishly.

The chief positive thought I have in the matter is that, if Congress should decide such training to be essential for defence, it is to be hoped it can be arranged so not to interfere with educations or careers.

However, if compulsory training is necessary, I can't see why it shouldn't be possible to arrive at some happy medium which would meet all interests, especially since the United States would not be preparing for an immediate emergency (that would have to be handled by a draft) but for distant contingencies.

PERFECT SOLUTION

Switzerland, for instance, claims to have found a perfect solution. Their system runs something like this:

Physical training for boys, to fit them for military instruction, begins in high school. But physical perfection is only one aim of this preparatory work, for the youths are trained in civic duty and are inspired with a vast pride in their fitness to undertake the military training.

The training is divided into four periods of three months each and is carried out in the summer. This means that the school work isn't interrupted.

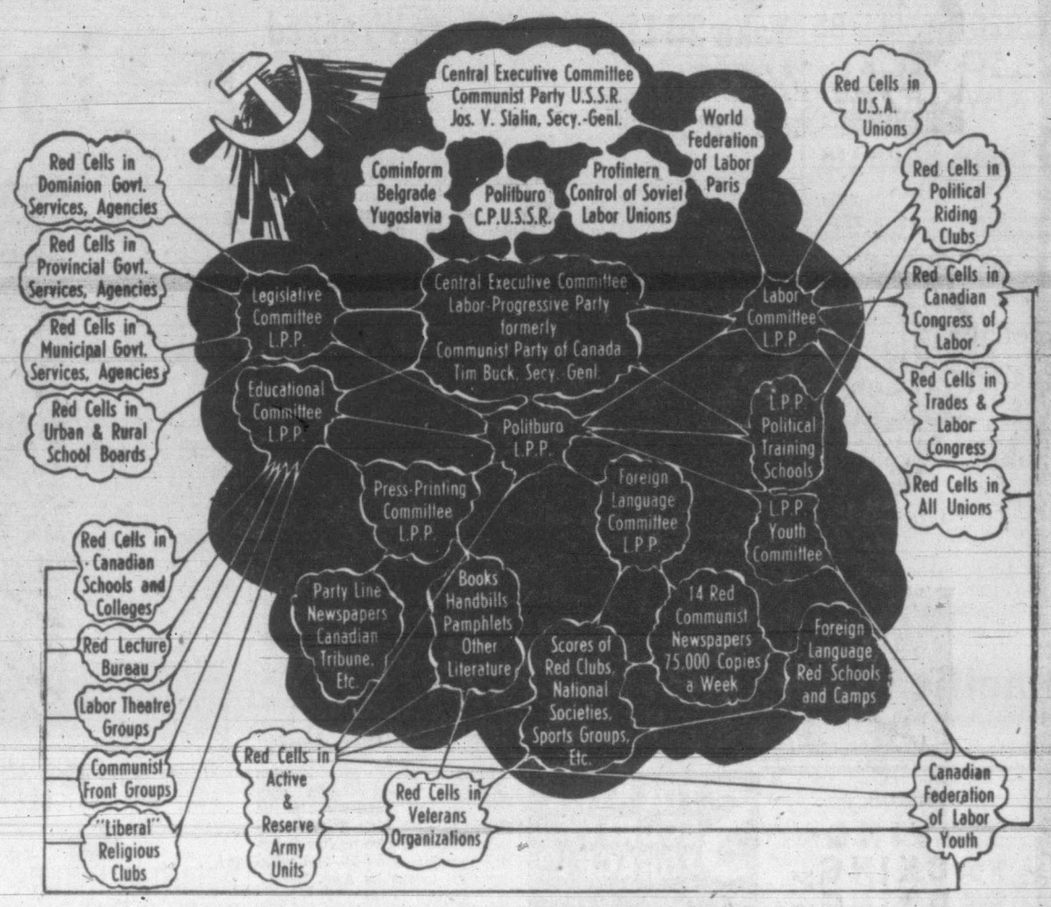
If a boy goes to work as soon as he finishes high school, his employer under the law has to release him for the four three-month periods. The employer also continues the salary during these periods and grants the regular yearly vacation as well. Also—and this is important—the employer must maintain the employee's seniority despite these absences.

PATRIOTISM HIGH

The result of this program is that every able-bodied man in Switzerland has had military training. And patriotism runs high. Whether it would be equally successful in other countries is of course a matter of speculation.

The aim of any program of military training is to keep it from being disruptive of the normal way of life so far as possible.

Red Web Of Intrigue



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FROM STALIN to Tim Buck to thousands of secret Communist "cells" in all political, social, industrial and business organizations of Canada run the invisible lines of the Red network of revolution, of which the chart above is an extreme simplification.

At the top centre, indicated in black letters on white, are the principal establishments of the international leadership of all Communist parties, headed by the Central Executive Committee of the U.S.S.R. and its policy-making Politburo, both of which are headed by Joseph V. Stalin, chief of the Soviet Union. Through direct links and through such intermediaries as the Cominform (Communist Information Bureau) in Belgrade, Yugoslavia, and the World Federation of Labor in Paris, France, the top leaders exercise complete control over the Central Executive Committee of Canada's Labor-Progressive (Communist) Party and its own Politburo in Toronto, where Tim Buck relays the wishes of his bosses in the Kremlin to fellow-conspirators in every corner of the Dominion.

Special committees of the L.P.P., here outlined and lettered in white on black are charged with carrying out the commands of the Central Committee and the Politburo in various fields.

The Legislative Committee directs the treasonable activities of active "cells" in all branches and departments of the Dominion Government. Similar "cells," carefully cloaked in secrecy, collect vital information and run errands for their anti-democratic masters in services of provincial and municipal governments from coast to coast, as well as in boards of education and other administrative establishments.

The Educational Committee has the important task of poisoning the streams of education and culture throughout the land. It directs "cell" workers in universities, colleges, and lower schools, in such popular "Red front" movements as the Canadian Housewives' Consumer Leagues, in church groups, in the task of spreading propaganda and steering these organizations along the party line. It sends out lecturers and stages concerts and labor theatre presentations toward the same end.

The Press and Printing Committee, which is closely integrated with the Educational Committee, not only publishes such avowedly Communist publications as the weekly Canadian Tribune and Pacific Tribune, but issues books, pamphlets and circulars to aid all other branches of the party's subversive work. A portion of its literature is directed exclusively to active and reserve military units and to veterans' organizations.

"Cells" in these military groups are in direct communication with the Politburo, which, in case of any war which did not meet with the approval of the Soviet Union, would be charged specifically with undermining the morale of fighting men and sabotaging military operations. Sports and social groups formed under Communist orders, and the Red Canadian Federation of Labor Youth, also pay special attention to army, naval and veterans affairs.

The Foreign Language Committee directs publication of 14 Communist newspapers printed in a dozen tongues, synchronizing their news and editorial content to comply with party-line requirements, and also uses scores of national societies for carrying out its work of indoctrination. L.P.P. Clubs are a part of all the larger Red-tinged foreign-language groups in Canada.

The L.P.P. Youth Committee is in direct control of the Federation of Labor Youth, which in turn provides active "cells" for the infiltration of schools and social groups, as well as labor union.

L.P.P. political training schools train members of the youth federation as well as others for Communist political activity, and have contacts with Red "cells" in political riding clubs of all parties.

The Labor Committee is the most important arm of the Communist conspiracy from a revolutionary standpoint, with the possible exception of the Legislative Committee. It rules the Red leadership of nearly one-fourth of the union membership of the Canadian Congress of Labor and the Trades and Labor Congress, and activates "cells" in many other borderline unions. It also co-operates with the Communist movement within United States trade unions in planning mass strikes and other demonstrations which have as their final aim the destruction of the free-enterprise system of economy.

As Our Readers See It

A WORLD COURT

On March 23, the delegates of 60 nations took part in the United Nations conference on freedom of information and the press, at Geneva.

We have gone a long way since Soviet Deputy Vishinsky's resolution, and Justice Minister Ilsley's substitute resolution condemning propaganda inciting to aggressive war. If there has been any "promoting by publicity and propaganda friendly relations among nations" I have failed to see it.

It seems to me before "freedom of information" can be effective a world court must be set up to give the individual or nation a chance to prove or refute charges. Slander, inciting and libel against nations must be controlled by law.

Journalists are human! When there is a brisk market for a certain line, some may write with their tongues in their cheeks and their eyes on their pay cheques where there is no restraint. Law will correct that.

WILLIAM MITCHELL.
89 South Holdom Avenue,
Vancouver, B.C.

C.C.F. AND REDS

Mr. Harold Winch in the Legislature recently, when repudiating any collaboration with or desire for support by the L.P.P. Party, said in effect that he knew all their methods and policies and would have nothing to do with them. Yet he and the C.C.F. leaders in general hotly support class war and all strikes—illegal, unjustified and justified. They also support all show of force during strikes by pickets and all demands for increase in wages and a shorter work week. All without discrimination or a show of intelligent study or distinguishing between right conduct and unreasonable action and demands.

Equally the C.C.F., Harold Winch among them, clamor abuse at Bill 39—in particular at the supervised secret ballot by the workers on a strike issue and which protects workers against prosecution.

All these lines are inaugurated and imposed on the workers by the Communists whose one reason for these methods and policies is to bring ruin upon the workers and therefore on the country by their bringing about ever-soaring costs and prices till our economy crashes. They will then use at the same time the country to enslave the workers and everybody, by slaughter, forced labor, secret police and the establishment and maintenance of a Soviet State government for the World Soviet Centre—the Kremlin.

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During the last five years, five new departments have been established, namely: Botany, commerce, geography, home economics and philosophy. The home economics department—perhaps the most interesting addition—was opened in 1946-47 to give first-year work only. By suggestion of the then Minister of Education (Hon. G. M. Weir), it was expanded in 1947-48 to give second-year work, and also to provide the needful preparatory courses for girls who had not taken home economics in high school.

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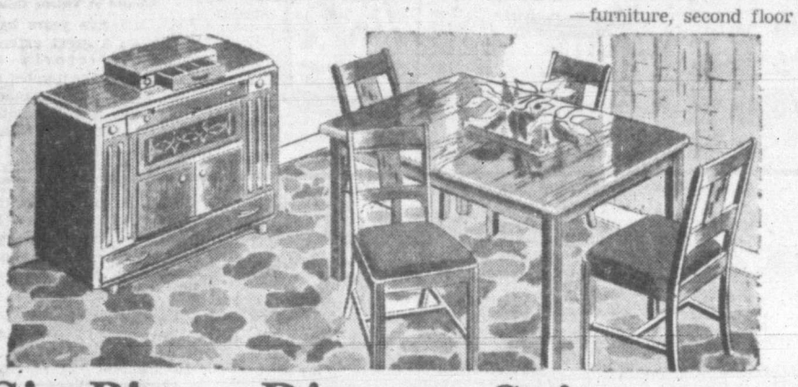

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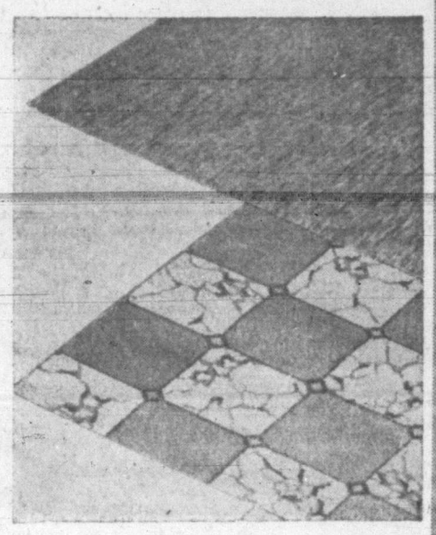

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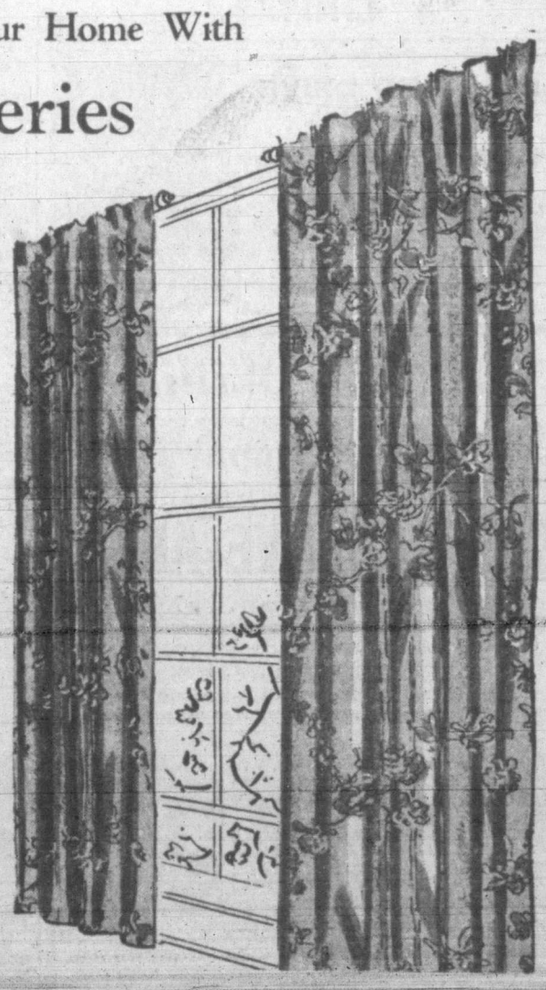

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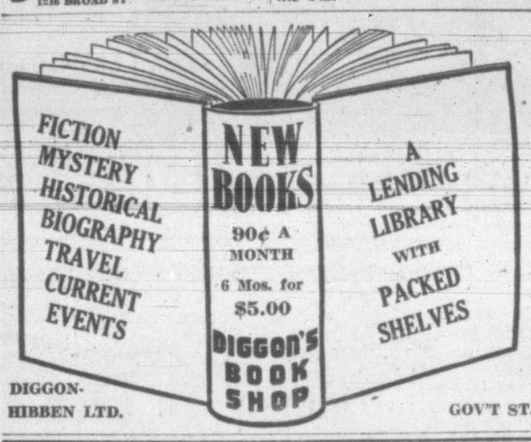

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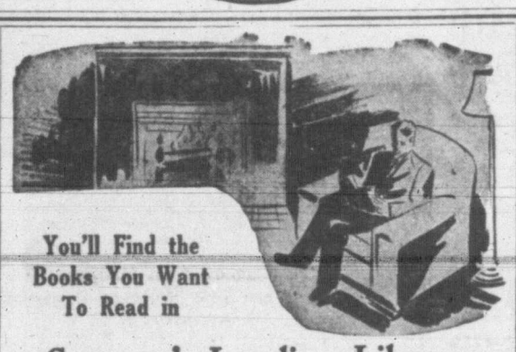

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Canadians Play Important Part In Europe Recovery, Says Ilsley

Canada has a Marshall Plan of its own, Justice Minister J. L. Ilsley told a meeting of the Laurier Club Thursday evening in an address in which he stressed the importance of European recovery and the need for Canadians taking an intelligent interest in present international matters.

In discussing the Marshall Plan, Mr. Ilsley pointed out Canada had already played an important postwar role in the extension of credits to other countries. Total credits extended by Canada to countries in the Marshall Plan area were greater, in proportion, than those extended by the U.S., he said.

Canada's extended credit totaled $1,750,000,000, whereas the U.S. credit extension totaled between $8,000,000,000 and $9,000,000,000. Canada, Mr. Ilsley pointed out, has a population only one-twelfth the size of the U.S. population, and a national income only one-eighteenth that of the U.S., yet Canada's extended credits totaled one-fifth those of the U.S.

However, Mr. Ilsley was not decrying the Marshall Plan, only pointing out that Canada's record in promoting European recovery fully entitled the Dominion to discuss the Marshall Plan proposals.

IMAGINATIVE STATESMANSHIP

Whatever might be said, of the Marshall Plan, the Justice Minister looked on it as a creation of imaginative statesmanship standing out in a world suffering in a welter of postwar frustration.

Starting off with the position of international trade in the world today, Mr. Ilsley said it was unfortunate that, at a time when the Geneva trade agreements were reached, representing a triumph of lowering trade barriers, Canada had been forced to announce interim import restrictions because the Dominion was running out of U.S. dollars.

If Great Britain had been able to pay Canada for goods in U.S. currency, Canada could have continued trade with the U.S. and the Geneva trade agreements could have gone into effect, he continued.

This was one of Mr. Ilsley's reasons for saying Canada was very much interested in seeing European recovery brought about.

He spoke briefly of the overall purpose of the Marshall Plan and credited the western European nations with having made a faithful and conscientious attempt at last year's Paris conference to estimate what the countries would be able to do for themselves over the next four years during which the Marshall Plan proposes to offer aid.

MUST HAVE AID

However, Mr. Ilsley added, the inspiring measures of self-help intended by these nations had to have the aid of the U.S. These countries, he pointed out, were suffering the effects of a long lapse in international trade war destruction, shortage of supplies from southeast Asia, the activities of subversive elements frustrating recovery and other drawbacks resulting from World War II.

Invisible items of trade balance such as funds from foreign holdings and tourist trade had been greatly reduced by the war.

Canadians, said the justice minister, since the beginning of the war had understood the nature of the situation which might develop at the end of the war, and had done their best to help avoid it, but despite this, the situation became far worse than they had expected.

Canada's perilous dollar position today was due largely to having had to sell for credits and buy for cash, he said.

TWO-FOLD INTEREST

He claimed Canada's interest in the European recovery program was two-fold. There is no future if the western Europe population is not rehabilitated to the position where it has the money to buy, and a recovered Europe would make it far more difficult for the Communists to gain control of the countries.

If Europe is allowed to suffer economic collapse, there can be no satisfactory future for Canada's export industry or international trade, he asserted.

So far as Canada's political interest in European recovery, Mr. Ilsley pointed out that the Soviet Union was throwing its whole weight against the Marshall Plan, and the Canadian Communists and those of other countries as well were also opposing the plan.

The Cominform, he said, denounced the Marshall Plan as an attempt to bring Europe into economic slavery. If the Marshall Plan failed in acceptance or performance, the resulting economic disaster in western Europe would make it much easier for the Communists to gain control of those countries, he said.

CHALLENGES COMMUNISM

On the other hand, European recovery would make the task of Communism very much harder, so the Communists describe the Marshall Plan as American aggression.

It was the duty of Canadians to take intelligent interest in these international matters, Mr. Ilsley said. They must grapple with the problems, due largely to the tension between the Soviet Union, with its dominated countries on the other.

The tension, he believed, had arisen out of fear on the part of the west, and fear, perhaps, on the part of the east.

The west's fear, he continued, was of creeping Communism. The western countries could not forget the policies of Communism . . . those of the Third International.

Part of Communism's fanaticism, said Mr. Ilsley, arose from the belief that the capitalistic system inevitably meant economic crises and war of imperialist aggression against which present Communist tactics were the best defence.

The Communists, the justice minister warned, might even feel that war was preferable to failure to communize the world.

Mr. Ilsley believed it was up to the west to see that Europe recovered and the people were able to find a good standard of living and financial security, which would not allow discontent and would provide only barren ground for Communism.

Then, he believed, gradual reduction of armaments could be hoped for. Then, one could hope for the world to be in the state in which the United Nations could really function as had been hoped for by those who had set up the organization.

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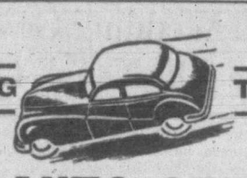
SPRING  TUNE-UP

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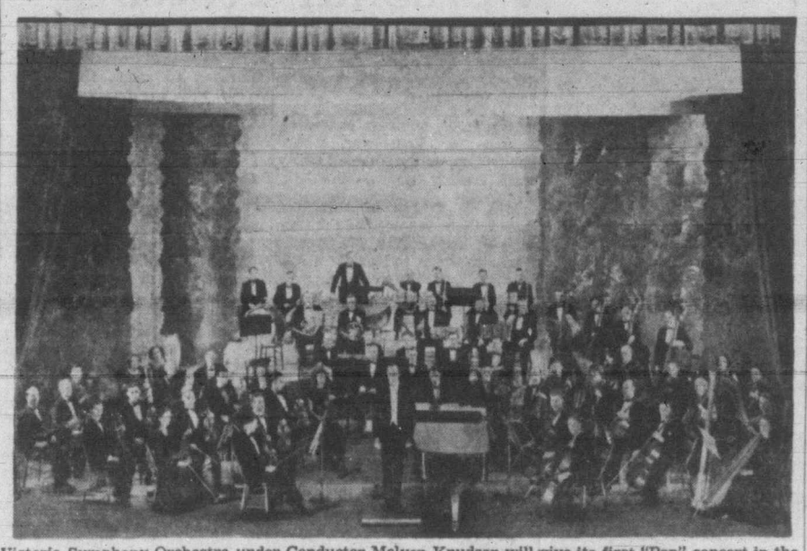

Victoria Symphony Orchestra under Conductor Melven Knudsen will give its first "Pop" concert in the Royal Theatre Monday, April 5, assisted by Grace Adams, soprano, and the symphony choir.

Women's Press Club Prize Set For July

OTTAWA (CP)—Closing date for entries in the Canadian Women's Press Club's annual memorial award competition is July 1, Elsa Herwig, chairman of the award committee, announced here.

For the second consecutive year the award will be based on "the best handling of a Canadian news event of significance," said Miss Herwig. All entries must be submitted in published form, and may have appeared in the daily or weekly press, in popular magazine or perodical, produced on the radio, or presented in advertising copy. Radio scripts must be certified as to authorship and time of broadcast.

The award, which consists of a gold medal and $100 in cash, is offered annually as a tribute to past distinguished newspaper women and members of the club. The competition is open to any woman who is a Canadian citizen, or who has been resident in the Dominion for one year preceding publication of the entry.

Control Demanded Of Coast Ship Fares

Extension of the powers of the Board of Transport Commissioners or creation of a new board to control passenger fares and freight charges of British Columbia coastal ships is asked in a motion to be proposed in the B.C. Legislature by Herbert Gargrave, C.C.F., Mackenzie.

Notice of the motion, to be moved next Tuesday, has been given to the Legislature.

Mr. Gargrave points out that many thousands of B.C. citizens are completely dependent for their transportation and freight on the various coastal steamship companies which, during the past year, have increased both passenger fares and freight rates, "without regard to the general public interest."

He will ask the House to petition the federal government urging the creation of a board similar to the Board of Transport Commissioners, which controls railway freight and passenger fares or extension of these powers to the present board.

FIRST RADIO LOUNGE IN WESTERN CANADA

What is claimed to be the first radio lounge in western Canada was opened by Ryland Huntley, M.Sc., A.I.C., at 2180 Oak Bay Avenue, Victoria, on Wednesday. This very modern radio and record store was officially opened by Mr. Holland of B.C. Electric, and Major Holmes of Victoria Chamber of Commerce welcomed Ryland Huntley, who recently emigrated here from England.

Special feature of the store is the radio lounge, where customers comfortably seated may listen to a selection of radios and compare critically their tone and performance, switching instantly from one to another.

Highlight of the opening was the crowd of Oak Bay High School students who swarmed round the record department and packed six at a time into the record booths to sample latest top favorites of records. Armchairs, flowers, coffee and cakes encouraged the crowd of well-wishers and customers to make the whole morning quite a social occasion. At night the modern lighting (designed by B.C. Electric) brought many to look and admire.

Ryland Huntley comes from Bath, England, where 14 years ago he opened a somewhat similar radio store, which he still continues to operate. A graduate with degree of Master of Science at Bristol University, England, Mr. Huntley has been in radio on the technical side for 20 years, and an efficient service department is one of the many facilities he is providing. ***

Scouts Make First Official Entry In 24th Of May Parade

To the Boy Scouts of Victoria goes the honor of being the first official entry in the 24th of May Parade.

This promises to be one of the most colorful events that has ever been run in Victoria with boys planning to depict the scouts of all nations and show the progress made by the organization during the past 40 years.

W. Brain, chairman of Scouters' Council, is arranging the entry which will comprise approximately 150 boys.

Preparations are going ahead at a good rate for the presentation of a display of bands, drill teams and marching groups in a pageant, which it is forecast, will be better than any seen in Victoria before. This will be an Eagle and Lion production and with the experience of these two groups in the past in activities of this kind the people of Victoria are assured of a striking display. This display will probably be held on the Sunday afternoon in the Athletic Park and all those wishing to attend will have to have a membership in the 24th of May association. Memberships in the association may be purchased from members of the Eagles or Lions Clubs or from Room 111, Broad Street, phone G arden 7512.

Explosion In Vessel Takes 2 Seamen's Lives

CLEY, Norfolk, Eng. (CP)—Two seamen died in a hospital Friday after singing "Now Is the Hour" to keep up their spirits during a six-hour life-and-death race for port.

Engineer J. Young and Fireman E. Pratt died from burns and shock received when the R.A.F. salvage drifter Katrine exploded eight miles of Cley. A third crew member suffered severe burns, while seven others escaped uninjured.

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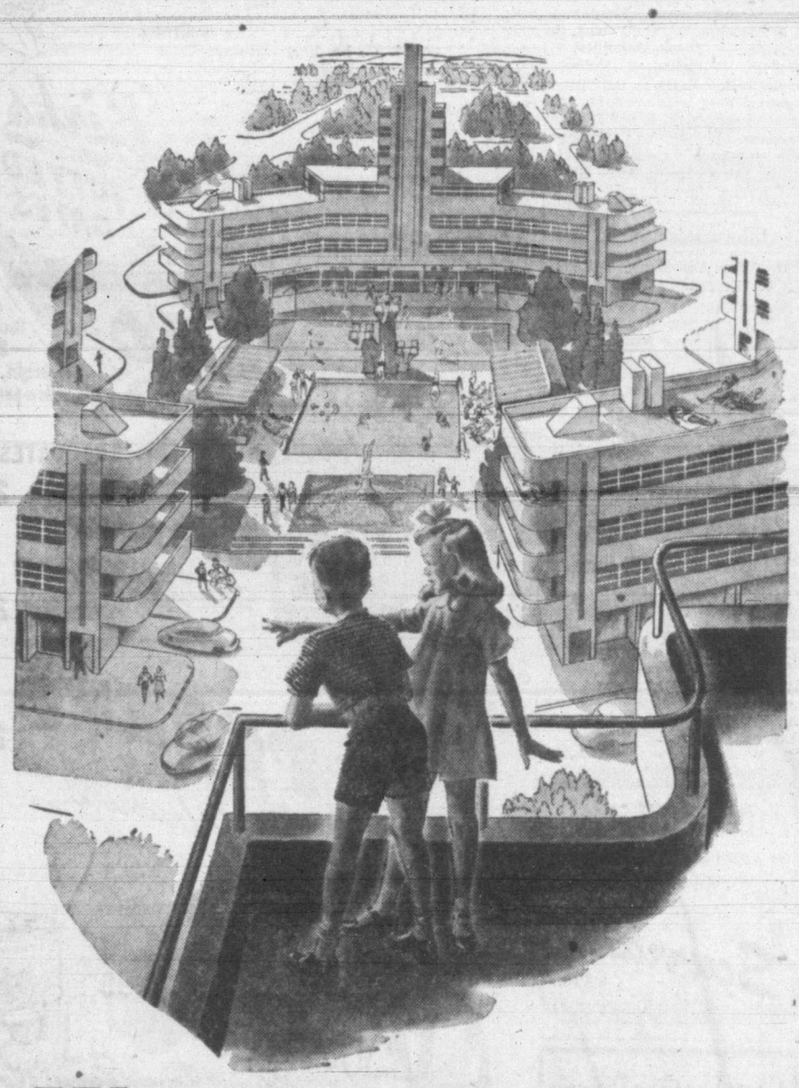

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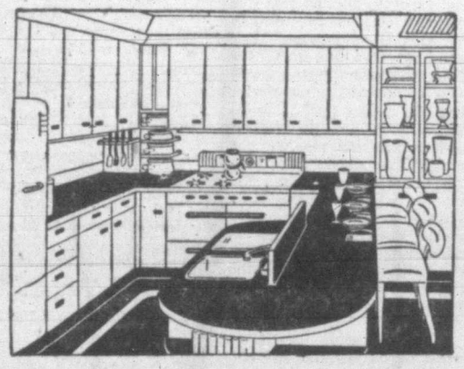

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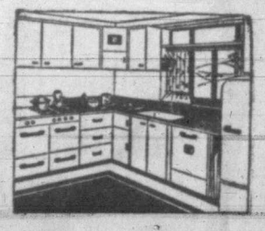

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Sarah Ann Harper Now Mrs. Avery

Nuptial rites were read in St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church Thursday evening by Rev. H. H. Creal for Sara Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Harper, 488 Admirals Road, and Harold Kenneth Avery, son of Charles Avery and Mrs. E. Woodrow of Winnipeg, Man.

For her wedding the bride chose a brown tailored suit of English herringbone, with beige straw hat trimmed with green roses, and brown veil. Beige gloves matched her suit, and her shoes and bag were dark brown. A strand of pearls, gift of the groom, and a corsage bouquet of Talisman roses completed her ensemble. She was given in marriage by her father.

A grey pin-stripe suit was chosen by her sister, Mrs. B. E. Ellis, who acted as matron of honor. Her grey straw hat was trimmed with pink roses, and her accessories were black. She wore pink carnations en corsage.

Best man was B. E. Ellis, and ushering were T. Harper and K. Waldron, brother and cousin of the bride.

Receiving guests at a reception held at the Esquimalt Community Hall were Mrs. Harper and Mrs. J. Gibson, sister of the groom. A three-tier wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom centred the bride's table, and a toast was proposed by Sergeant Jimmy Smart.

Leaving for a honeymoon in Vancouver, the bride wore a beige topcoat over her wedding ensemble.

Mr. and Mrs. Avery will return to make their home at 488 Esquimalt Road.

Eastern Visitors Here For Easter Week-end

Pictured in their suite at the Empress Hotel, just after their arrival Thursday afternoon, are Mr. and Mrs. John Hackett of Montreal and their daughter, Florence. Mrs. Hackett is presiding at the tea table, her husband stands behind her with their daughter at his right, Mr. J. A. Campbell at the left, and Mrs. Campbell, on the extreme right, accompanied them from Vancouver. Mr. Hackett, member of Parliament for Stanstead, Que., is also president of the Canadian Bar Association. Mr. Campbell is vice-president for British Columbia for the Canadian Bar. The Hackett party are being extensively entertained during their week-end stay in the city.

Club Calendar

Evening Branch, St. Saviour's W.A., social meeting Monday at 8 at the home of Mrs. R. Kroening, 223 Wilson Street.

St. Alban's Ladies' Organization shower for sale of work, Monday at 2.30. Sale will open Wednesday at 3 o'clock, with fancy work, home cooking, candy stalls and afternoon tea.

Past Mistress' Association, L.O.B.A., for all members of L.O.B.A., Tuesday at 7.30, home of Mrs. E. S. Ord, 1738 Lee Avenue, guest speaker to be Miss Mann, home service department, B.C. Electric . . . Victoria subdivision, Catholic Women's League, card party and tea, Tuesday from 2 until 5, Douglas Room, Hudson's Bay Co. For reservations, phone E 2606 or B 3527.

Pre-Easter Tea

Members of the St. Andrew's Presbyterian Welfare Association entertained last Wednesday afternoon with a pre-Easter tea for patients at the Victoria Nursing Home, Gorge Road. A musical program was arranged with Mrs. F. Griffin and Mrs. F. G. Greenaway as soloists and Mrs. F. Wilmshurst as accompanist.

On Eve Of Retirement, Nurse Would 'Do It All Over Again'

MISS LENA MITCHELL, R.N.

"If I was starting all over again, I'd still want to train for the nursing profession."

In these words, Miss Lena Mitchell, who retires as director of nurses at the Jubilee Hospital, on March 31, looks back over 25 years and finds them good.

Sitting at her desk in the hospital, where she has written so many reports, encouraged, and sometimes scolded her nurses, and planned numerous campaigns, she tells you that "the nursing profession is the finest career for any girl to choose."

And she means it.

Miss Mitchell, a native of Aberdeenshire, Scotland, tells you she is one of four sisters, who took up the nursing profession. She graduated in 1918 from the Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh, took postgraduate work in pediatrics in London, England, came to Canada in 1920, and in 1923 to the Royal Jubilee Hospital at Victoria, where she was made a supervisor.

In 1926 she became assistant director of nurses and in 1927, director of nurses, a position she has held ever since. Speaking in reminiscent mood, Miss Mitchell tells you there have been changes since the day she arrived at the hospital. At that time, in the teaching department, there was an average attendance of 100 students, with one person doubling as teacher and part-time assistant.

Today, there are four teachers, two assistants and a health supervisor—with an average attendance of 175 students.

"We have graduated in the 25 years over 850 nurses," Miss Mitchell tells you, and then her hazel eyes flash and her expressive black brows arch as she adds, "and they have all measured up to the traditions of the nursing profession."

PROUD OF NURSES

"Royal Jubilee graduates have done their part during depression days, the days of the war and after the war. They are all over the world, and you can most definitely say I'm proud of every one of them."

She is just as proud, too, of the many changes in the hospital.

When she arrived 25 years ago, there were no graduate nurses on the floors with the exception of six supervisors and the average number of patients at one time was about 175.

Now there are 24 supervisors, 100 general duty nurses and supervisors with an average of 418 occupied beds.

"The nurses' home was the first big improvement," this energetic Scotswoman says, with more than a hint of satisfaction in her quick, clipped voice, "and since then we've had the maternity wing, central wing, T.B. pavilion, eight-bed psychiatric ward and improvements in the X-ray department."

These are just a few of the highlights in a busy career.

Other experiences have been many but they dovetail so closely, one with the other, that in looking back, Miss Mitchell only sees the incidents as part of a great whole.

There was the time of an unusually heavy mump epidemic in the city, when patients overflowed into two huge marquees, hurriedly set up at the back of the hospital.

"We never lost a case," Miss Mitchell remembers.

LADIES IN BLUE

And there was the organization of the Jubilee Hospital division of the St. John Ambulance at the beginning of the war. "Ladies in blue," they were called and Miss Mitchell takes great pride in remembering they were the first such organization in Canada.

There has also been her association with the various women's auxiliaries who work for the Jubilee Hospital, culminating just a little over a month ago, when one of these auxiliaries presented her with a cheque for $1,000 to be used as the nucleus of a fund for a Lena Mitchell ward—ear, nose and throat.

"That was one of the happiest moments in my whole career," she says.

Asked what she intended to do with all the leisure time she will have after she retires, Miss Mitchell says, "I'm not even thinking of that.

"Six months rest, at least, just golfing and fishing." (She holds a bronze button with the Brentwood Anglers.) "Then perhaps a trip home to Scotland."

She shrugged her expressive shoulders under the white starched uniform, and added, "Something will turn up." And somehow that seems to express Miss Mitchell's philosophy, for one can easily imagine that in all her work at the Jubilee Hospital, she has never given a thought to failure. In everything she has attempted, she has known—something would turn up.

Personal Notes

Mr. George Straith, Jr., left recently by plane for Palm Springs where he will spend a short vacation.

Mrs. L. R. Nicolson is leaving Sunday for Vancouver, where she will spend the Easter holiday week visiting friends.

Mrs. J. Gibson of Winnipeg was in Victoria to attend the wedding of her brother, Mr. Harold Kenneth Avery, to Miss Sara Ann Harper Thursday evening.

Mrs. J. G. Shaw, 2159 Central Avenue, left Thursday afternoon for Vancouver, where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. B. H. Sheppard, for the Easter week-end.

Among Victorians traveling to Vancouver for the Easter week-end are Miss Margaret Crummy and Miss Alice Dougan, who left Thursday night and will return to the city Tuesday.

Visiting her parents for the Easter vacation is Miss Terry Castle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Castle, St. Charles Street, who is a pupil of York House School.

Miss Doris Fisher of Vancouver is the guest of Miss Eileen MacLean at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. MacLean, 735 Queen's Avenue, for the Easter week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. MacGachen, 1221 Crown Crescent, have as their guests, their son-in-law and daughter, Capt. and Mrs. C. E. Hughes and their granddaughter, Katherine of Honolulu, T.H.I.

Mr. T. M. Patterson, magistrate at Port Alberni and Alberni, with Mrs. Patterson, are Easter week-end visitors in the city, the guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Reg Patterson, Queen's Avenue.

Miss Peggy McLean of Vancouver is a guest of Mrs. E. W. Nieuwejaar, 1422 Fairfield Road, and will be a godmother at the christening ceremony of Mrs. Nieuwejaar's two children tomorrow afternoon.

Miss Kay Downing, executive secretary, Victoria Branch, Canadian Red Cross Society, is spending the Easter week-end in Vancouver, the guest of her mother, Mrs. M. A. Downing. She will return to Victoria on Tuesday morning.

Mr. Raymond LeHuquet, who is studying at the University of British Columbia, returned to Victoria to spend the Easter holiday with his parents. He has as his guests for the week-end, Mr. Bruce Arnison and Mr. Jack Steed of Nelson, B.C.

Maj.-Gen. G. R. Pearkes, V.C., M.P., returned from Ottawa on Thursday to spend the Easter recess with his family at their home on the Saanich peninsula.

Miss Mary Duncan, a student of the University of British Columbia, is spending the Easter week-end at the home of her mother, Mrs. L. H. Duncan, 1027 Roslyn Road.

Mrs. G. A. Butler and Mrs. T. Harkness were co-hostess at a miscellaneous shower Wednesday evening at the home of the latter, 3820 Douglas Street, to honor Miss Joyce Egeland, who on Easter Monday will become Mrs. Nick Chilibeck. The bride-elect received a corsage bouquet of carnations and gifts presented in a miniature beauty salon. Daffodils and tulips decorated the rooms. Guests include Mesdames J. Speed, J. Hopgood, B. Udy, J. Warner, M. Moench, D. Parker, C. Egland, M. Veilleux, L. Benson, F. Emery, R. Fitzsimmons, R. Johnson, D. Logan and Miss Jackie Logan.

Mrs. Jerry Watson was hostess at her Richmond Avenue home last Wednesday afternoon with a party to celebrate the first birthday of her daughter Linda. The table was decorated with colorful paper ducks as place cards and centred with a traditional birthday cake in pink and white with one pink candle. Refreshments were served for the children and later mothers enjoyed afternoon tea. Guests were Mesdames C. W. Stocker, W. G. Watson, J. Harrison, E. Howe, J. Miller, J. Hewison, B. Gallop, P. Holmes, D. Hackwood, B. Blyth, B. Watson (Lethbridge), with Valerie and Janet Harrison, Carol and Dianne Hewison, Wendy and Barbara Holmes, Lynn Gallop, Jackie Miller, Herbie Howe, Andy Blyth and Ronny Vincent.

St. John Ambulance

St. John Ambulance Brigade, No. 65, Thursday at 8.

Easter Monday there will be no meetings for the following divisions: Victoria Nursing Division, No. 61; Victoria Cadet Nursing Division; Lorne Drum Nursing Division, No. 249; Victoria Pemberton Crusader Nursing Division, No. 254.

Denton Holmes Nursing Division, No. 148, Tuesday. Denton Holmes Cadet Nursing Division will not meet on Tuesday.

The child welfare class will meet Friday at 8. Mrs. R. F. Martin will lecture on nutrition and diet.

Miss Mary C. Chisholm, R.N., of Saskatoon, will arrive in Victoria on Tuesday. Miss Chisholm is the Dominion examiner in the 1948 home nursing competitions. She has spent the past month examining home nursing classes from Nova Scotia to British Columbia.

Hon. James Thorn To Speak To Women

Members of the Women's Canadian Club will gather in the Empress Hotel, Tuesday, at 2.45, to hear Hon. James Thorn speak on "New Zealand Today."

The Honorable James Thorn was born in 1882 in Christchurch, New Zealand, and educated at the Christchurch High School. When 17 years of age he went to the South African War in the Third New Zealand Contingent (Canterbury Rough Riders).

In 1905 he stood as Labor candidate for the Christchurch South electorate, having assisted in the formation of the New Zealand Labor Party in 1904. In 1931, on the retirement of the Rt. Hon. Walter Nash from the national secretaryship of the Labor Party, Mr. Thorn was elected to this position and held it until he became Member of Parliament for Thames in 1935. He was re-elected in 1938 and 1943.

Mr. Thorn led the New Zealand delegation to the International Labor Organization Conference in Geneva in 1938. He was also chairman of the New Zealand Sea Fisheries Commission in 1937, and chairman of the Parliamentary Select Committee on population in 1946.

During his parliamentary career, Mr. Thorn was a member of the Maori affairs and public accounts committee of the House of Representatives and deputy chairman of the tourist development committee. In 1943 he was appointed Parliamentary Under-Secretary to the Prime Minister.

He has represented New Zealand on the Economic and Social Council of the United Nations, and on the United Nations Social Commission and the General Assembly.

Heirloom Wedding Gown Worn By Bride Of Naval Officer

A gown of ivory brocade worn by her grandmother nearly 60 years ago was chosen by Sage Janet Ley for her wedding in Christ Church Cathedral at 2 this afternoon, when she became the bride of Lieut. Andrew Barry German, R.C.N.

To complete her wedding ensemble, she wore a lace veil and carried a bouquet of gardenias and lily of the valley.

The dark-haired bride is the daughter of Capt. and Mrs. R. H. Lee, 16 Paddon Avenue, Victoria, and the groom, Flag Lieutenant to Rear Admiral E. Rollo Mainguy, O.B.E., R.C.N., Commanding Officer Pacific Coast, is the son of Capt. and Mrs. Barry German, Mayfair Apartments, Ottawa.

Bishop H. E. Sexton officiated at the fully choral service, and the Easter theme was carried out in decorations.

Matron of honor was Mrs. F. C. Frewer, sister of the groom, wearing a gown of green brocade slightly en train. Miss Jean MacKenzie-Grieve and Miss Veryan Yarrow were secondary attendants, wearing gold and blue brocade, respectively, in the same style as that of the matron of honor.

All three carried bouquets of American Beauty roses and lily of the valley.

Lt.-Cmdr. F. C. Frewer was best man for his brother-in-law, and serving as ushers were fellow officers of the groom in the Royal Canadian Navy—Lt.-Cmdr. C. A. Law, D.S.C.; Lt.-Cmdr. R. C. Chenoweth, M.B.E.; Lieut. D. M. Waters; Lieut. H. C. La Rose, Lieut. E. V. P. Sunderland, and Lieut. (S.) A. R. MacDonald, R.C.N. (R.) (Ret.).

As the young couple left the church, they passed under the crossed swords of a traditional naval guard of honor captained by Lt.-Cmdr. (G.) E. P. Shaw, R.C.N.

Later in the afternoon a reception was held in the wardroom of H.M.C.S. Naden, where parents of the bride and groom assisted the bridal party in receiving guests.

Mrs. Ley wore a floor-length gown of cinnamon crepe with matching straw hat and corsage bouquet of deep yellow roses, and Mrs. German was gowned in grey crepe, matching hat and black accessories, with yellow roses en corsage. A toast to the bride was proposed by the Bishop.

Lieut. and Mrs. German will spend their honeymoon at Timberline Lodge, Mt. Hood, Oregon. For traveling the bride wore a navy blue suit with grey accessories and burgundy topcoat.

When they return to Victoria, they will make their home for the present at 2844 Wyndeatt Avenue.

Girl Guides' Cookie Day

Girl Guides and Brownies of the Greater Victoria Division in conjunction with groups throughout the province have organized a Cookie Day.

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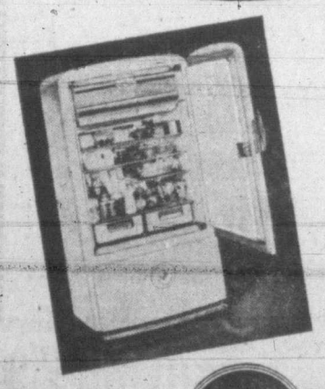
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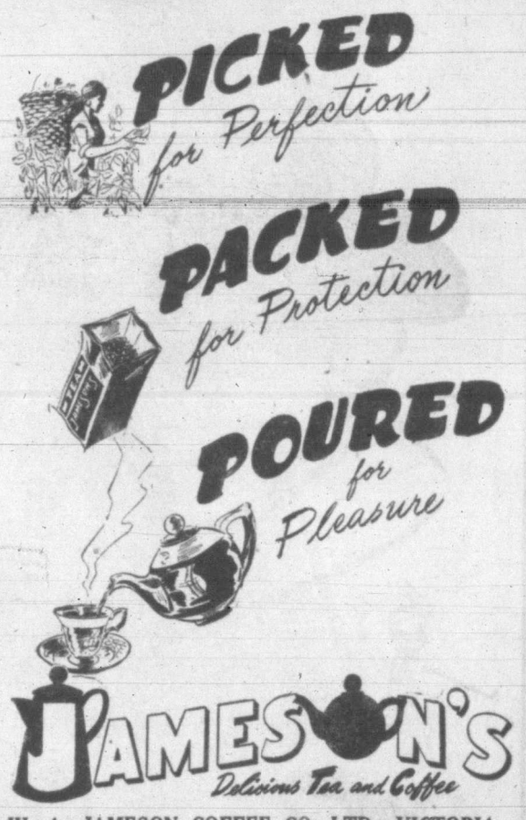
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Hearty Reception For Canadian At New York Concert

NEW YORK (CP)—A small but enthusiastic audience gave Constancia Stefanik, Winnipeg-born soprano, a hearty reception Friday night at her first concert in New York.

Miss Stefanik, who says music is her "first love," was recalled three times for encores after her regular program, at Town Hall, which included arias by Bach and Handel.

Afterwards she said in an interview she wasn't nervous during her local debut and expressed appreciation for the warmth of her listeners. "It was a small audience, but they were enthusiastic," she said.

She now is studying opera music and hopes eventually to go into opera. She said she had received a few invitations to give concerts in Canadian cities and shortly may make a cross-Canada singing tour.

Miss Stefanik, who was born of Ukrainian parents and began singing at the age of eight, included in her program a group of works by Brahms and Strauss; Depuis Le Jour, operatic aria from Charpentier's "Louise"; and four French and six English songs.

Among the latter Miss Stefanik, who became a church soloist at 14, introduced the new song "Christene," by Elizabeth Ball. The words are by Barbara Idyl.

The dark-haired soprano wore a black lace bodice, with a white tulle evening gown and long black lace gloves.

Asked about her interests other than music, Miss Stefanik said, "music is my first love; I've always enjoyed it."

Her husband, Gordon Kenning, added that she is learning to play golf and enjoys swimming.

"She's a good cook," he continued with a smile.

Miss Stefanik quickly interrupted, "No I'm not; he does the cooking."

Hospital Auxiliary Tag Day April 3

The Women's Auxiliary to the Royal Jubilee Hospital will held a tag day on April 3. Mrs. William Ellis and Mrs. J. B. Clearihue are co-conveners, with Mrs. E. Luney in charge of arrangements for Oak Bay. Organizations assisting include St. John Ambulance Association, St. John Ambulance Brigade, Junior Auxiliary to the Royal Jubilee Hospital, the Jubilee Hospital Alumnae, with Thunderbird, H.M.C.S. Beacon Hill and H.C.M.S. Naden Chapters of the I.O.D.E. Tag day headquarters in Victoria will be at 712 View Street and in Oak Bay at Suite 1, 1510 Clive Drive.

Community Concert

The Cordova Bay Community Club is sponsoring an entertainment next Wednesday at 8 o'clock in McMorran's Pavilion. Harkness, the magician, will give an exhibition of conjuring, the Eagles' concert party will entertain, and there will be films for young and old. Proceeds are in aid of the building fund.

P.-T.A News

The Royal Oak — The Royal Oak P.-T.A. met with F. Tuckey presiding. Donations were made to the Solarium and the Save The Children's Fund. Plans were made for a box social to be held April 10 at 8 in the Institute Hall. A delegation of residents from homes south of Royal Oak on the Saanich highway were presented at the meeting and asked for support from the association to their request for transportation or a sidewalk for children going to and from the Royal Oak School.

Sisters To Be Christened At Double Ceremony

Penelope Diane and Patricia Anne are the names to be given the two daughters of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Nieuwejaar at a double christening ceremony at 3 o'clock in St. Barnabas' Church tomorrow afternoon. Father Eric Munn will officiate at the ceremony, and godparents will be Mr. and Mrs. G. Lay, Miss Peggy McLean and Mr. Rolf Niewejaar. Guests at a small reception for members of the family held at the home of the little girls' parents, 1422 Fairfield Road, will include grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Stuart and Mr. and Mrs. William Niewejaar. Their father is at present in the Queen Charlotte Islands and is unable to attend the ceremony.

Clubwomen's News

Study Services—Victoria Women's Insitute has been making a study of local and overseas relief services. Guest speakers have been Dennis Hagar, chairman Community Chest; E. Banner, world traveler on Canadian Aid to European children; and Major A. Milley of the Salvation Army on social welfare. Mrs. E. S. Blair presided at a recent business meeting. Mrs. C. Johns and Mrs. Blair were appointed delegates to attend the provincial conference in Vancouver in June. Mrs. R. O'Hara will convene a social next Friday, assisted by Mrs. A. Brown and Mrs. A. Patterson.

Island Arts Exhibit

Thirty-seventh annual exhibition of the Island Arts and Crafts Society will be held in the Douglas Room of the Hudson's Bay Company from April 6 to 10 inclusive.

Exhibitors must enter their work at the Douglas Room from 10 a.m. to 1 April 5. Cataloguing will be done a week before receiving day, so all names of exhibitors and titles of their work are required by the secretary, Mrs. M. Rice-Jones, on or before Easter Monday.

Next meeting of the sketch club of this society will be held April 12.

School Festival

A successful spring festival program was presented in the Sir James Douglas School auditorium last Wednesday. W. H. Wilson, principal of the school, received the guests. School children, from kindergarten to grade 8 presented songs, marching numbers and folk dancing. The auditorium was suitably decorated with spring flowers by members of the Parent-Teacher Association.

Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. R. McVie of 922 Lyall Street, Esquimalt, take pleasure in announcing the engagement of their youngest daughter, Barbara Agnes, to Mr. Alexander Pirie Smith, second son of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Smith of 2070 East 5th Avenue, Vancouver, B.C. The date of the wedding to be announced later.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dempsey, 3298 Tennyson Avenue, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Elizabeth Hunter, to David Hereward Grant, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Grant, 258 Richmond Avenue, Victoria, B.C. The wedding will take place in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church on April 17, 1948, at 3 p.m.

Mrs. G. B. McKenzie announces the engagement of her sister, Mary Patricia Groves, youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Fred Groves of Vancouver, B.C., to Mr. Samuel Edwin Tanner, youngest son of Mrs. Alice M. Tanner and the late Mr. G. W. Tanner of Victoria. The wedding to take place at First United Church April 17 a 8 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cathcart, 62 Logan Avenue, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Viola Mary, to Robert Henry Davies, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Davies, 2785 Burdick Avenue. The wedding will take place at 8 o'clock April 24, 1948, at St. John's Church.

The engagement is announced of Shirley Mae, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Wilkinson, 101 Maddock Avenue, to John Stanley Eden, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Eden, 3115 Wascana Street. The wedding to take place in the near future.

Dorothy Dix

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Dear Miss Dix: I am 26 years old. Since my mother passed away four years ago I have kept house for my father and brother. I have told the family all along that when I got married I would pass the responsibility of this to one of them, for I believe that all young married couples should live alone while they are adjusting themselves to each other.

There are eight married members in my family and all have been married for quite some time, but none of them is willing to make a home for my father and brother so that I can have the privacy which every girl would like to have when she first marries. Do you think I am selfish in asking this favor of my brothers and sisters? My father and brother would be no financial burden on them.

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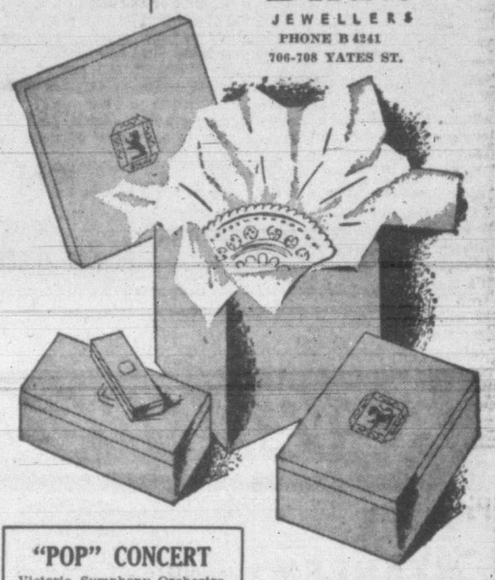

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More For Cancer Urged By Doctor

Dr. R. R. Laird, who represents the Similkameen constituency in the B.C. Legislature, thinks the B.C. government may be wise to build up its highway system for military purposes.

"There may come a day, sooner than any of us even dare vision," he told the Legislature Thursday, "in which we will need roads south and north, east and west, not only for the purpose of our citizens, but for the purpose of military travel, in order that we may quickly transport supplies to our Pacific coast to defend us against an invader."

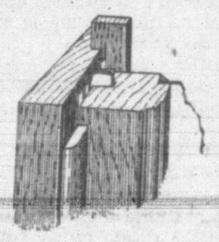
The government member complimented the works department on choice of men, who were capable of not only building roads but also, if the need arises, of building air fields.

Road Network Said Handy For Defence

The B.C. government, while moving in the right direction by asking twice as much for cancer control this year, is still not doing sufficient, in the opinion of Dr. R. R. Laird.

The government member for Similkameen also expressed satisfaction in the B.C. Legislature Thursday that the government was planning to grant $25,000 toward arthritis control and was increasing appropriations for tuberculosis control.

Dr. Laird, one of three physicians who are members of the House, suggested that the government should pass legislation to make directors of health and benefit societies responsible for losses incurred by their patients, and advocated that plans for a medical school on the University of B.C. campus with a 500-bed hospital be proceeded with.



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Wardens View Antique Fire Truck To Be Scrapped

Destined for the junk heap is this 29-year-old aerial ladder truck of the city fire department which fire wardens looked over during an inspection Thursday of the Cormorant Street headquarters. Left is Harold Diggon, chairman of the city fire committee. Behind the wheel is Fireman Jim Doherty. Near the rear of the truck with Fire Chief Robert Brindle are Wardens Mrs. M. D. Christie and Waldo Skillings.

Beard Says House Talks Too Much, Ministers Have To Work Too Hard

Cmdr. C. T. Beard, Coalition, Esquimalt, thinks that private members of the B.C. Legislature talk too much and cabinet minister work too hard.

Suggesting that a 30-minute time limit be set on the speeches in the House of private members, Cmdr. Beard prefaced his statement by expressing the hope that none of his fellow members would take his observation as being personal.

"I am firmly of the opinion that our form of government lacks maximum efficiency because only a few must carry on the burden of government throughout the year of this vast and fast-growing province by being numerically insufficient to carry on the work involved," he continued, advocating that at least two more members be added to the provincial cabinet.

"Several cabinet ministers have literally died or gone sick during even the short time I have been a member and no sick or overtired minister can give his best services to the province," he said. "Conversely the province has no right to expect so much time and worry to be shouldered by so few."

Cmdr. Beard observed that two important portfolios were carried by one man in the cabinet today, apparently referring to the Attorney-General and Labor portfolios held by Hon. Gordon S. Wismer.

"In my opinion, ministers of the government should travel extensively if they are to keep abreast of the rapid advances in B.C., and they cannot take time to be away from their desks under present conditions," he said.

He added that the biggest disillusion he had experienced was the smallness of the part the private member plays in the larger constructive measures of the government, "and yet a private member is given every consideration in his efforts to help his own constituents."

$3 Court Cost Levy Set For Magistrates

Increase in court costs is provided for in a bill to amend the Magistrates Act now before the B.C. Legislature.

Introduced by Attorney-General Gordon S. Wismer, the bill provides that magistrates may levy charges of $3 for costs in cases originating under the Summary Conviction Act in unorganized areas of the province.

At present the charge is $2.50.

Expert To Lecture On Chrysanthemums

Victoria's chrysanthemum-growing enthusiasts will have the opportunity of hearing one of the foremost authorities on chrysanthemum culture on the Pacific coast when Jack McGlashan of the Composite Chrysanthemum Associations, Vancouver, speaks at the monthly meeting of the Victoria and District Chrysanthemum Society, which will be held in the council chambers at the City Hall next Thursday night at 8.

Mr. McGlashan is a chrysanthemum grower, lecturer and judge of many years' experience and has written and published a book on the culture of the chrysanthemum.

Jack Walton will preside at the meeting to which the general public is invited.

Massive Mine Bills Before Legislature

Legislation covering almost every phase of mining in British Columbia, superseding present laws governing coal and metalliferous mine operations, now is before the B.C. Legislature.

The two bills were introduced Thursday by Mines Minister R. C. MacDonald and went through first reading. Both are the most bulky pieces of legislation now before the House.

The Coal Mines Regulation Act is 81 pages in extent and includes 94 sections and three schedules. Governing metalliferous mines, quarries and metallurgical works, the Metalliferous Mines Regulation Act is 63 pages long and has 48 sections and one schedule.

Both bills are the result of a year's work by the mines department which held hearings with mine operators and mine unions.

Routine amendments to the Constitution Act and the Apprenticeship Act are also before the Legislature, having been introduced Thursday afternoon.

2 M.L.A.'s Demand Earlier Sessions

Members from both sides of the House Thursday pleaded with the B.C. government to call sessions of the Provincial Legislature earlier in the year so that it would not interfere with the work of members and delegations to the government.

John McInnis, C.C.F., Fort George, urged the government to call future sessions for late January or early February, noting that the session which began March 2 was late this year. Earlier sessions, he contended, would be more convenient to delegations and all others interested in proposed legislation going before the session.

Cmdr. C. T. Beard, Coalition, Esquimalt, seconded the suggestion of Mr. McInnis, urging the government not only to call the session in January but also to call members to Victoria a week before the session opened so that they could become acquainted with the impending legislation.

He described as a poor excuse the contention of the government that the session could not start earlier because legislation was not ready.

Leaves For Europe

D. F. Ball, manager of piece goods and staples for the Hudson's Bay Company, Victoria store, leaves Sunday to review and buy for all Hudson's Bay Company stores, in the piece goods markets of Great Britain and Europe. ***

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Designation Planned Of Films For Adults

Provision for classification of movies as adult entertainment and advertising of films as adult entertainment, is made in a proposed amendment to the Moving Pictures Act now before the B.C Legislature.

Classification of motion pictures has long been advocated by C.C.F. members of the Legislature, but the amendment introduced by Attorney-General Gordon S. Wismer does not go as far as C.C.F. members had asked.

It provides that the motion picture "censor may, where he deems it necessary, classify any film as adult entertainment. Where a film is so classified, the censor may require that there be displayed prominently the words 'adult entertainment' in such of the advertising of the film as he deems necessary."

No provision is made in the amending bill to prohibit children from attending films classified by the censor as adult entertainment.

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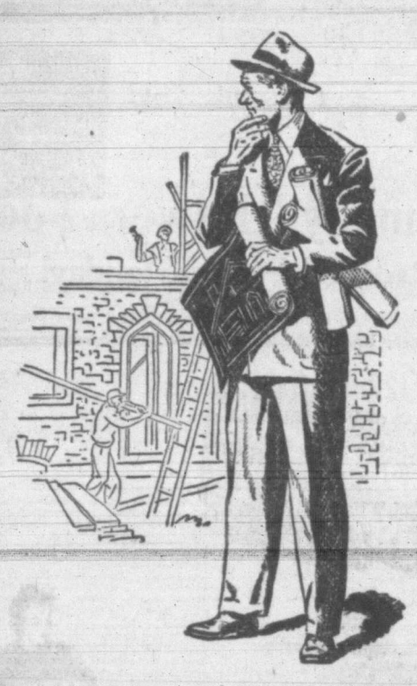

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James Bay Split On Holly Tree Removal

Woodsman, woodsman, spare that tree . . 25 residents of James Bay today wrote Mayor Percy George asking that holly trees on the boulevard along south Government Street be left alone.

Earlier 58 residents of the district demanded the trees be removed because they served as hiding places for thugs at night.

Parks Committee chairman, Ald. M. A. Kent, announced the trees would be thinned out.

The first petitioners said this was not enough, the trees should be cleaned out entirely and small flowering trees substituted.

Now comes the opposing factions' arguments:

"We consider the trees an asset to the city. They beautify the street and are a tourist attraction.

"Proposed removal or any radical trimming of the trees does not meet with our approval."

Japs Urge MacArthur For U.S. Presidency

TOKYO (AP) — Gen. MacArthur's self-appointed Japanese campaign manager is working to collect 50,000,000 Japanese signatures on a petition supporting the Allied commander for President of the United States.

"It will be easy," said Toshiyo Oda, Tokyo contractor. His office building blossomed with "MacArthur for President" signs shortly after the general's statement of availability.

Why are the Japanese so interested? Oda explained:

"The presidency of the United States is now charged with important missions to save the world crisis and the mankind—in short the presidency is now a world task. We are convinced General MacArthur is the best-qualified statesman to save the mankind, so his missions are holy and no easy task."

The DOCTOR Says:

SHINGLES NOT REALLY A SKIN DISEASE

By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M.D.

Shingles, or "herpes zoster" as it is known to doctors, is an acute, painful condition causing inflammation of the skin with the appearance of characteristic blisters. It is really not a skin disease, however, as it affects only that part of the skin which is reached by certain nerves.

Pain usually is felt before the blisters come out on the skin. True herpes is always on one side of the body and particularly common along the chest, paralleling the ribs. It may appear on the forehead, face, lower back, and abdomen as well. When it involves nerves close to the eye, there is real danger to sight.

The blisters usually appear three to four days after the beginning of pain. A slight fever is common, and the pain, or neuralgia, is likely to be severe. After several days, the blisters open and dry up and finally disappear altogether. In young and middle-aged people the condition usually clears rapidly, but in older people neuralgic pains often last for months. Indeed, in elderly people the pain following shingles can be most unpleasant for a long time.

The cause of herpes is a virus, which is a tiny, living substance too small to see under the ordinary microscope. This virus has some connection with the virus causing chickenpox. Sometimes a person who has been exposed to chickenpox will get herpes, and sometimes it happens the other way around. This is a curious connection which has not yet been adequately explained.

MAY FOLLOW INFECTION

Herpes may come on immediately after an acute infection like pneumonia, or it may come without any warning and unrelated to any other disease.

Many different kinds of treatment are used for shingles. Most of them bring at least some relief, but cannot cause a quick cure. In severe cases, X-ray treatments have been used with some success. When the herpes is on the forehead, some treatment, either with X-rays or something else, is particularly necessary to halt the progress of the condition because of the danger to the eyes.

Question: What should be done about a splinter that became embedded in my heel more than two years ago? It did not come out.

Answer: Chances are that nothing need be done, if the splinter is not causing any symptoms.

To Commemorate Irish Rebellion

BELFAST (Reuter) — Easter week meetings in commemoration of the Irish rebellion of Easter, 1916, are being allowed this year for the first time in Northern Ireland.

Orders banning the meetings were issued previously under the Civil Authorities' Special Powers Act. No such ban has been imposed this year.

The rivals are the pro-British Orangemen, who take their name from the Protestant King William of Orange, and the Anti-Partition League, which aims at a united Ireland, governed from Dublin.

British Immigrants More Cautious Of Where They Settle

Prospective British settlers are being more cautious about where they settle in Canada, according to National Employment officials here.

Numerous inquiries from overseas are being received at the office here. British people are asking for first-hand information on local industries, job prospects and what opportunities there are to establish new business in Victoria.

The National Employment office is receiving inquiries from factory workers, machinists, electricians, chemical and electrical engineers and from numerous skilled tradesmen.

One inquirer asked if there was a job open in Victoria for a male nurse. Another was from a physical instructor. One man wanted to know if there were any vacancies for an estate or farm manager.

It was also disclosed that many inquiries came from British women, many of them seeking jobs in factories.

"The majority of British technicians and professiona men are settling in Eastern Canada, where there is a heavy demand for skilled men," said an employment official. "However, some have announced their intention of coming here, despite the fact that jobs in their particular line are scarce and in some cases unavailable.

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Overcharging is a polite term for theft, in the opinion of Cmdr. C. T. Beard, Coalition government member of the B.C. Legislature, and the government should make legislative curbs on those endeavouring to become rich as a direct result of the war or of conditions brought about by the war.

Cmdr. Beard outlined his views to the B.C. Legislature before the Easter adjournment, contending that the government should have power to license persons to do business and should stipulate that charges be fair or the license would be withdrawn. At the present time, he said, the government only has power to interfere where the financial set-up of a company is unsatisfactory.

He cited as an example attempts by furniture-moving companies to overcharge a person of his acquaintance, and said he would gladly substantiate his statements before any committee the government cared to set up.

"These are but two cases which came to my immediate notice and give me cause to believe that hundreds of similar cases must exist," he said.

"It is probably futile for me to ask for legislation to curb these practices as we are so wedded to the antiquated slogan of free enterprise, before we have too many discontented people who will, quite rightly, make every effort to put this seemingly helpless government out of power. In my opinion we are their protectors and are failing to fulfil our responsibilities in this respect."

Today's Crossword Puzzle

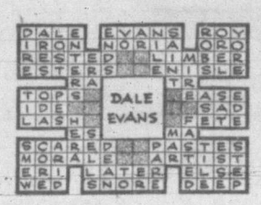
HORIZONTAL

1, 6 Pictured diplomat
13 Speaker
15 Install
16 Pillar
17 Fencing position
19 Matched pieces
20 Bewildered
22 On the sheltered side
23 Heating device
24 Registered nurses (ab.)
26 Be indebted
27 Hurls
29 Fortification
32 Alleged force
33 Italian river
34 Juliet's boy friend
38 Termagant
41 Exist
42 Pedal digit
43 Gull-like bird
45 Stipend
46 Javelin
52 River inlet
53 Succulent
55 Genus of grasses
56 He has served as U.S. Ambassador to
58 Newest
60 Elders
61 Nether world

VERTICAL

1 Girl's name
2 Area
3 Moistens
4 Pronoun
5 Drunkard
6 Dreadful
7 One time
8 Employ
9 Great (ab.)
10 Endured
11 Solar disk
12 Bristle
14 Narrow inlet
18 Cloth measure
21 Emmet
23 Female sheep
25 Steamship (ab.)
26 Either
27 Heart
28 Bustle
30 Mimic
31 At this time
35 European swallow
36 Sea eagle
37 Whirlwind
38 Street (ab.)
39 Scuttle
40 Harvested
43 Slight flaws
44 Ireland
45 Inheritor
46 Hostelries
47 Road (ab.)
48 Lamprey
50 Flower
51 Makes an edging
53 Philippine peasant
54 College cheer
57 Palm lily
59 Symbol for tantalum

(Answer to previous puzzle)



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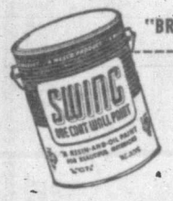

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Victoria Teachers To Vancouver For Federation Parley

Greater Victoria Teachers' Association will send nine delegates to the 29th annual convention of the B.C. Teachers' Federation from Monday to Thursday next week at Vancouver.

A number of other Vancouver Island teachers are also expected to attend the conference.

Official delegates from the Greater Victoria area are headed by Jack McKenzie, president of the local association and a member of the federation executive, and Harry Dee, past president of the association and second vice-president of the federation.

Others are: Miss Olive Heritage, Miss Christine MacNab, Mrs. Hazel Hodson, Roy Temple, B. C. Gillie, C. Trotter and A. T. Hunkin, association representative on the federation medical services' association.

STRAITH TO SPEAK

Hon. W. T. Straith, Minister of Education, will address delegates at the opening of the convention Monday night on "What the Government is Thinking About Education." Also speaking at the opening session will be Dr. George Andrew, assistant to the president of U.B.C.

Mrs. Pearl Wannamaker, superintendent of schools for Washington State, will address the Tuesday session on "Unesco—Its Work and Its Influence." She is a member of the national commission for Unesco.

Col. F. T. Fairey, superintendent and deputy minister of education, will speak Tuesday also on "Temperance Education," and there will be discussion periods and musical entertainments.

Among other features of the convention will be an address on "Audio-Visual Aids in Remedial Work," by C. R. Crakes of Chicago.

Entertainment features include interpretive dancing by an Oregon State College troupe; programs by the Kitsilano High School Boys' Choir, the John Oliver High School Brahm's Choir and a chamber music ensemble under Sherwood Robson, an illustrated lecture on music by Harry Adaskin, and a program by the cast of the CBC radio show "From Leicester Square to Old Broadway" with Harry Price's orchestra.

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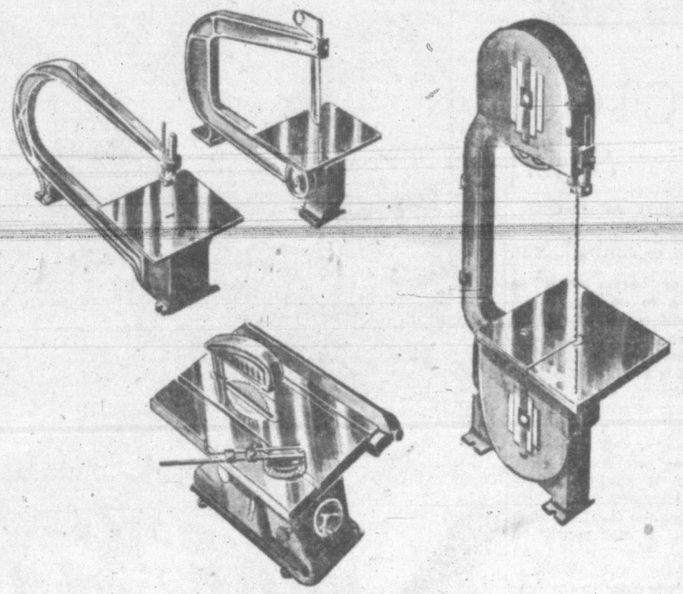

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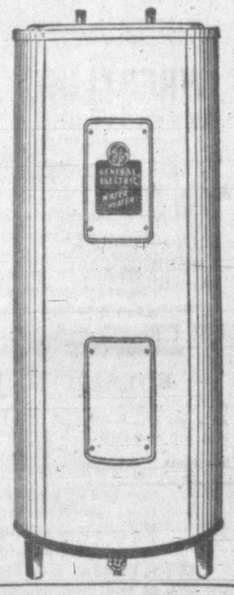

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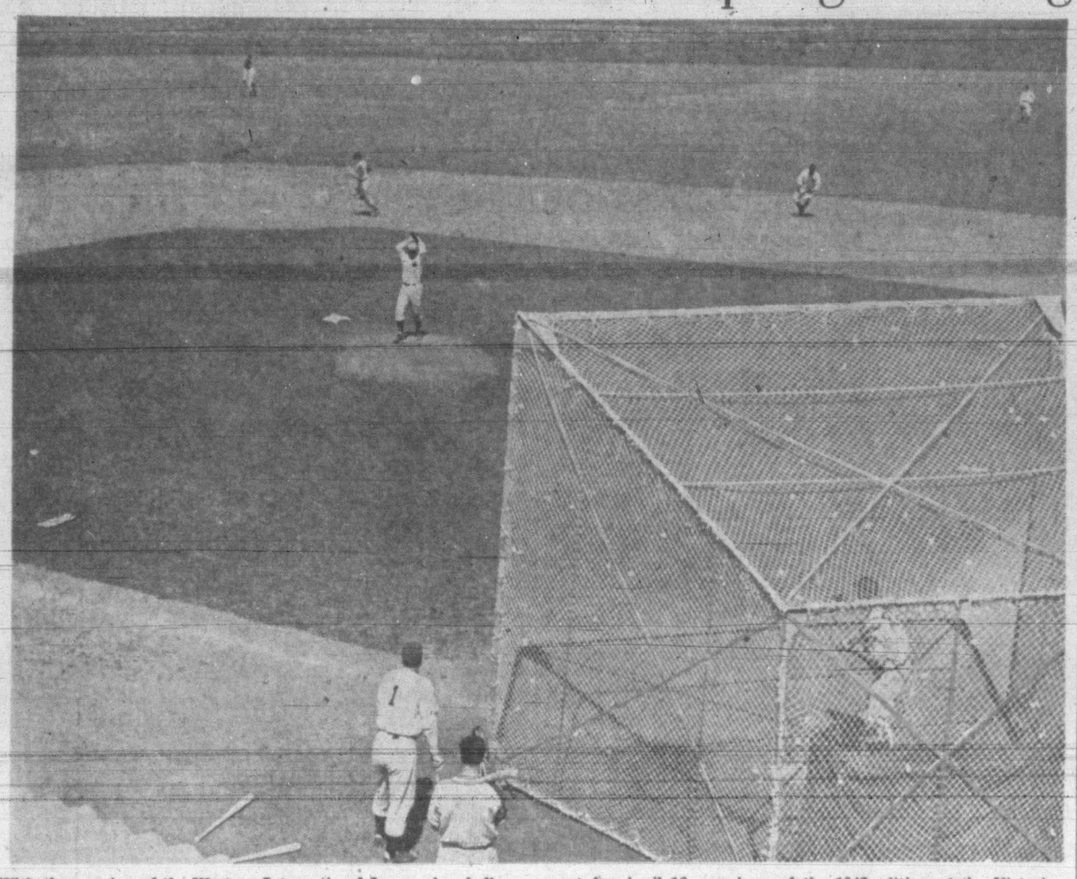

With the opening of the Western International League baseball season set for April 16, members of the 1948 edition of the Victoria Athletics are busy these days in spring training at Boyes Springs, California. In the above picture, the old reliable Joe Blankenship is shown working on the mound for batting practice. The Victoria team has been blessed with good weather, and Manager Ted Norbert has had a good chance to look over his prospects. The Victoria club will play two exhibition games with Stockton of the California State League April 3 and 4. A's will remain in camp until April 12 or 13, at which time they will entrain for Yakima to open the season against the Packers. From Yakima they proceed to Salem, continue on to Tacoma and then come home for their first series at the local park against Spokane, opening April 26.

Vancouver Hornets Fade From Coast Pro Cage Picture

The Pacific Coast Pro Basketball League season was over today for Vancouver Hornets. The Canadians saw their last chance to enter the championship playoffs go glimmering last night as they lost to Seattle Athletics, 64 to 56, on the latter's home floor.

Portland's Indians clung to their one-game round-robin lead by turning back Bellignham 75 to 71, at Bellingham.

Seattle entertains the Indians tonight in the final game of the round-robin series. A victory would put the Athletics in a tie for first, and would necessitate a game at Portland Sunday to break the deadlock.

Bellingham will play host to Seattle Monday night in the opener of the championship playoffs.

Hank Greenberg Expected To Sign With Cleveland

LOS ANGELES (AP)—This is strictly unofficial, but a fair guess is that Hank Greenberg will formally sign with the Cleveland Indian ball club along about April 1.

And the joke, if any, may be on the opposing American League pitchers, including Dizzy Trout, Hal Newhouser and the rest of Henry's old playmates at Detroit.

But as Hank himself said, nothing definite will be decided until the Tribe returns to its training base at Tucson late this month.

The prediction of his signing is based on several factors, chiefly Greenberg's physical fitness after weeks of hard work as an unofficial member of the Cleveland family, and a snarl that has cropped up in the club's infield.

The inner defence was hurt when the regular first baseman, Ed (Robbie) Robinson, twisted his right knee several days ago. The extent of the damage can't be determined yet, but any knee injury is dangerous.

Meanwhile, manager Lou Boudreau's other first sacker, Elbie Fletcher, hasn't been knocking the ball around nearly up to expectations.

Greenberg could become insurance of a valuable nature and join the select circle of Boudreau, Joe Gordon and Ken Keltner, one of the best combinations in the league.

Hank hit 25 homers for Pittsburgh Pirates last year, "but I just about batted by weight." It wasn't quite that bad but .251 hitting isn't par for the Greenberg course.

Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

RECOGNIZED as a policeman for all sport in and around New York columnist Dan Parker has launched a blistering attack against money mad sport promoters and ticket racketeers in the latest edition of Sport magazine. Parker charges that sport fans are unlikely to forget the rough treatment they have received at the hands of certain greedy promoters.

PARKER, who is noted for his vitriolic pen, condemns sport abuses running from mismatches, tie-in sales, excessive horse racing taxes, standing room only, ridiculous prices, to fakes, bribery, football bowl rackets and overlapping seasons. "Square dealing isn't the most widely practiced virtue in the sports promotion field," writes Parker, "but promoters who practice it won't have reason to regret it when the lean years come."

JUST about every sport is hit in Parker's tirade. He claims racing devotees have had their pockets picked legally through the medium of outrageously unfair taxation, coupled in some quarters with crooked racing. Of boxing, he charges it has exacted the highest prices for tickets while being grossly corrupt. Professional hockey is blasted for jacking up prices during the war years when the quality of hockey was below the prewar brand. Parker's article also makes a complaint against promoters who have worked in collusion with speculators.

FORMER Victoria ball players who have had their day as active competitors but are still interested in seeing the sport develop can lend a hand this summer by giving the Victoria Minor Baseball Association a few hours of their time. Officials of the minor group inform me they have three teams who are in need of coaches. These youngsters organized themselves but require somebody to take them over. So any of you ex-ball players who are willing to give the kids a break just get in touch with league president Roy Shields or secretary George Cole. You'll really be doing baseball a good turn by helping to bring along the stars of tomorrow.

United Rallies For Win Over All-Stars

Rallying to fire three successive goals after their opponents had opened the scoring on the opening play of the second half, Victoria United defeated an all-star eleven from the Victoria and District League 3 to 1 in the exhibition soccer match staged yesterday as a feature of juvenile day.

In a preliminary the local all-star juvenile club defeated Seattle Lake City 2 to 0.

Entire proceeds were turned over to the juvenile association.

First half of the senior game failed to produce much excitement as members of both clubs elected to take matters easy. However, after the league all-stars jumped into a 1 to 0 lead at the start of the final 45-minute play pepped up considerably and for the remainder of the engagement the large crowd of fans witnessed some fast football.

Both goals were subjected to some dangerous attacks in the first half but the defences withstood all efforts to score. George Payne, making his first appearance of the season with the United, gave the fans a thrill in the early stages when he hit one of the uprights with a bullet drive from the left wing. At the other end goalie Joe Travis cleared a couple of well-placed shots by Pennington and McCartney. He had another close call when Shubrooke tried to pick the corner from close in only to have the goalie scoop up the ball and clear.

SCORE EARLY

Second half had just opened when right-winger Denny Shubrooke took a pass from McCartney cut in fast and left-footed a shot well out of Travis' reach for the opening goal. United swept back on the attack and, after a sustained drive, Nip Sage tied the score on a goal that drew a lot of protest from the all-stars. Sage sent in a high lob and centre-forward Clarkson appeared to bump goalie Wally Rowe with the result the ball went over the latter's head into the net.

Continuing to hold an edge United soon took the lead on the best goal of the afternoon. Taking a long pass from Noel Morgan on the opposite flank, right-winger Dave Huggins went in alone to blast a high shot past Rowe the ball hitting the crossbar and deflecting into the net. Final goal of the game was contributed by Morgan, another high goalmouth lob that floated in over Rowe's head.

Play in the senior game was opened with Don Grey, past secretary of the Lower Island Juvenile Association, kicking off.

Bob Sandberg Will Return To Bombers

WINNIPEG (CP) — Supporters of Winnipeg Blue Bombers breathed a sigh of relief today with the news that battering Bob Sandberg, the man who almost won the Canadian football title single-handed last year, will be back for the 1948 season.

President Art Chipman of Bombers announced last night that the towering backfielder, sensation of the 1947 final when Bombers bowed by a point to Toronto Argonauts, had informed the club he would return. Several other clubs had made it known they were after the big American.

Old-Time Soccer Stars To See Action

Eagles first division juvenile soccer team will meet Eagles old-timers in an exhibiton game at Beacon Hll Park tomorrow at 2.30.

The Eagles circus band and 'Teen Agers' Youth Guidance Drill Team will be in attendance. President Cecil Holt will kick-off. Percy Payne, president of the Lower Island Junior and Juvenile Football Association, will present a perpetual challenge trophy to the winners.

Old-Timers team follows: First half, J. Wilmhurst, G. Rickerson, G. Wyatt, J. Ruryk, Sandy Strang, T. Smith, Bob Walton, Sanford, W. Neilson, A. Johnson, A. Donald and T. Carey; second half, G. Taylor, Bill Smith, Staci, South, Essler, Wilf Jones, G. Robbins, Cormack, Bridgewood, Scotty Stewart, J. Watt, Meadley and Tripp. Spares are Cox, Rockett, Gold, Peterson, Hobday, S. Rickerson.

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Rookie Forwards Star In Detroit Victory

DETROIT (CP)—Detroit Red Wings today were heavy favorites to enter the Stanely Cup finals after the well-balanced Detroit scoring machine easily polished off New York Rangers 5 to 2 last night in a game that was a contest for only the first period.

The victory, coming on top of Detroit's 2 to 1 triumph here Wednesday night, gave the Red Wings a commanding 2 to 1 lead in games in the best-of-seven series.

The Red Wings can clinch a berth in the cup finals by beating the Rangers in New York where the scene shifts for the third and fourth games Sunday and Tuesday.

Two Detroit rookies, Jimmy McFadden and Marty Pavelich, each scored a pair of goals. McFadden put the Wings ahead 1 to 0 just four minutes after the game opened but Ed Laprade, Ranger centre, tied it up less than 11 minutes later, converting a hard angle shot after a pass from Tony Leswick.

But McFadden and Pavelich each scored in the second period and the Red Wings were on their way. McFadden's second goal was a wide open shot that easily beat a partially-screened Rayner. Pavelich converted his marker at 8.18 of the session while defence man Bill Juzda of the Rangers was serving a high-sticking penalty.

Half of the final period was over before Detroit clicked again. Defenceman Leo Reise hammered a 60-foot screen shot from the blue line at the boards at 10.04 to make it 4 to 1.

Just 47 seconds later Neil Colville punched a 20-foot shot past Harry Lumley for New York's second counter which was matched by Pavelich's second marker, a 15-footer, which came five minutes from the finish.

SUMMARY

First Period—1, Detroit, McFadden (Horeck(4.00; 2, New York, Laprade (Leswick) 14.53. Penalties: Reise, Colville, Stewart, McFadden.

Second Period—3, Detroit, McFadden (Horeck, Stewart) 4.57; 4, Detroit, Pavelich (Lindsay) 8.18. Penalties: Abel, Juzda, Lindsay.

Third Period—5, Detroit, Reise (Horeck, McFadden) 10.04; 6, New York, Colville (Laprade, Leswick) 10.51; 7, Detroit, Pavelich (D. Morrison, Gauthier) 14.49. Penalty: Sclisizzi.

CRAWFORD ILL

TORONTO (CP) — Toronto Maple Leafs and Boston Bruins called the roll today before their second Stanley Cup playoff tilt and found 49 out of 50 potential starters ready for action. But the 50th name may have a lot to do with the outcome.

Trailing in the best-of-seven series after they dropped a heart-breaking 5 to 4 decision in overtime Wednesday night, Bruins prepared for tonight's tilt as key defenceman Jack Crawford battled an influenza attack that may keep him out of action.

That still leaves defenceman Pat Egan, Murray Henderson, Fern Flaman and Clare Martin ready for action, but the Beantowners would miss the steady-defence mainstay for Boston teams of the last nine years.

There aren't any manpower problems in the Leaf camp, but Toronto managing director Conn Smythe plans a change or two, with rookie winger Sid Smith slated to return to action. Smythe has a flock of youngsters from Leaf's Pittsburgh farm club to choose from as the Hornets dropped out of the American League playoffs Thursday night.

The ticket line-up at Maple Leaf Gardens started 20 hours before game time and the usual Saturday night sell-out house was almost a certainty.

No matter who wins, the two clubs have a couple of dates at the Boston Garden next Tuesday and Thursday nights.

On Tonight's Card

LEE GRABLE

Holder of the light heavyweight wrestling championship of Hawaii, Grable will have his hands full tonight when he meets Tommy Nilan at the Armories. Other bouts bring together Reuban Gracia of Spain and Al Szasz of Hungary and Bobby Burns and Jack Kiser. First match is scheduled for 8.30.

HILLCREST TENNIS CLUB

At a recent annual meeting of the Hillcrest Tennis Club D. McCormick was elected president, S. Hicks, vice-president, and Miss K. Harris, secretary-treasurer. Elected to the executive were Miss H. Parkinson, Mrs. J. Ball, D. Warder, J. Ball and N. Edmonds.

Hibberson-Stranix Win Oak Bay Golf

Results of the four-ball, best ball competition at Victoria Golf Club Good Friday follow:

Best Net—E. Hibberson and R. Stranix, Uplands, net 63½, gross 65.

Best Gross—R. Morrison and F. Scroggs, Uplands, gross 69.

Best Second Net—L. Derman and J. Clark, Gorge Vale, 67; Len Woodhouse and Jim Ryan, Victoria Golf Club, 67; L. Leveret and H. Gailean, Nanaimo, 67, and W. Pressley and G. Laird, Colwood, 67½.

In all 72 pairs, a record entry, took part in the tournament.

Emile St. Godard, Famous Dogsled Driver, Passes

THE PAS, Man. (CP) — The king of the sled-dog drivers—Emile St. Godard—is dead.

The French-speaking Canadian, who cracked his long whip over many a winner in more than 20 years of competition, died at his home here yesterday after a brief illness. He was 42.

St. Godard's name flared forth from the country's sports pages for the first time when he was 19. It was 1925 and St. Godard, slender and dark-skinned, mushed his way to victory in the then-famous Pas dog derby.

After that he was a consistent winner for years of major sled-dog events in Canada and the United States. He won The Pas derby, one of the most noted of all, for five straight years from 1925 to 1929. He was as much a standout in his field as Howie Morenz in hockey.

Some of his most noteworthy victories were scored over a renowned Nome, Alaska, dog pilot, Leonhard Seppala. The Nome racer became widely known for "mercy" runs in the frozen north. St. Godard won major events in the New England states, Quebec province and Ontario as well as in northern Manitoba.

Baseball Umpires Class Starts Monday

Under direction of the Victoria Minor Baseball Association the first in a series of instructional classes in umpiring will be held at the Eagles' Home, Monday at 7.30.

Tommy Restell, umpire-in-chief of the Victoria Baseball Association and reserve umpire for the W.I.B.L., and Bill ridgewood, another local official, will be the instructors.

Players, managers, coaches and persons interested in umpiring are asked to attend. Umpires are sorely needed in the Minor Baseball Association and a good turnout is requested.

Anyone desiring further information is asked to contact George Cole at E 6122 or B 1211.

INTERCLUB GOLF

Colwood Golf Club defeated Uplands seven and one-half points to four and one-half in an interclub match for the Dowell Cup. Return match will take place at Uplands in August.

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Barbara Ann Scott Wins Canadian Title With Ease

CALGARY (CP) — A new crown adorned the honey-blonde curls of Ottawa's Barbara Ann Scott today following the ice queen's overwhelming victory in the women's singles event of the annual Canadian figure skating championships.

Radiant in a paddy green dress, gaily adorned with sequins, Barbara Ann dazzled a capacity, wildly-cheering crowd of 6,000 at Victoria Arena last night with a flawless free-skating performance. The perfection of her routine won her a perfect score of 10 points by one of the five judges.

Only one judge marked Barbara Ann below nine and coupled with the high score marked up in earlier compulsory school figure events, assured her of victory even before the competition was concluded and the results officially announced.

Victory in the Canadian meet gives her a clean sweep of every figure skating singles championship for which she may compete. She already holds the North American, European, world and Olympic titles.

Ontario skaters walked off with the lion's share of the trophies, capturing all but two of the eight championships held last year by Toronto skating clubs.

Wally Distelmeyer, 22-year-old navy veteran and a member of the Toronto Skating Club, captured the men's singles championship from his lone rival, Roger Wickson of Vancouver. Distelmeyer also combined with pretty Suzanne Morrow of Toronto to take the senior pairs championship and the dancing titles.

Marlene Elizabeth Smith, youthful skater from Niagara Falls, Ont., and a member of the Toronto club, took the women's junior singles for the other Ontario victory.

Breaking the stranglehold held by eastern skaters last year was the new junior men's champion, William E. Lewis of New Westminster, B.C., a member of the Vancouver Skating Club. Also winning for the Vancouver club were Pearle Jeannette Simmers and David Spalding who combined to take the junior pairs title.

One of the highlights of the meet was provided by a fourth west coast skater, 18-year-old Jeanne Matthews of Vancouver who was runner-up in both the junior and senior singles events.

Men's Championship At Uplands Course

Qualifying round of the men's club championship will be played at the Uplands Golf Club tomorrow. Bob Morrison will defend his crown. Post entries will be accepted.

Draw follows:

8.53—S. Nixon, D. McLean, F. Switzer
9.00—D. Gowan, K. Lea, G. K. Verley.
9.07—C. Abbott, W. Luney, S. Trevise.
9.14—F. Scroggs, R Morrison, R Stranix.
9.21—F. Jeffrey, L. J. Hibberson, J. Harlow.
9.28—E. Cuppage, G. M. Lindsay, J. G. Thomson.
9.35—J. Sparks, E. Peden, R. Elliott.
9.42—R. Ard, S. Evans, J. A. Stone.
9.49—R. Williams, D. Woodhouse, J. Ranson.
9.56—W. G. Blackman, B. E. Porritt, R. Purves.
10.03—H. H. Livesay, J. Skellern, W. Moore.
10.10—G. Briscoe, C. J. Robertson, A. Ockwell.
10.17—D. F. Anderson, A. R. McMillan, G. Silburn.
10.24—E. Robinson, D. Johnston, E. G. Johns.
10.31—R. Nicklin, Jack Ferguson, W. Dunaway.
10.38—W. S. Smith, G. Jones, A. B. Cross.
10.45—A. R. Thistle, A. Briggs, J. D. Calvert.
10.52—J. W. Kempston, A. N. Other.

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Arsenal Near Cinch For Football Crown

LONDON (CP) — Handing Middlesbrough a 7 to 0 shellacking, Arsenal yesterday took a stranglehold on the English League first division leadership as Britain's Easter holiday football program in which most clubs will play three games in four days opened in brilliant sunshine.

The Gunners put on one of their best displays of the season to send 60,000 Highbury fans home confident that with only eight league games remaining for Arsenal and nine for second-place Burnley the Londoners can easily maintain their eight-point margin. Burnley drubbed Stoke City 4 to 0 yesterday.

Fighting to stave off relegation to the second division, Portsmouth and Bolton sprang surprises over two clubs hot on Burnley's tail in the standing. Portsmouth stopped Preston North End 1 to 0 and the Wanderers turned in the upset of the day by carrying a 2 to 0 victory away from the home grounds of Manchester United, favorites to win the cup final April 28.

ENGLISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION
Arsenal 7, Middlesbrough 0.
Blackpool 2, Derby County 2.
Burnley 4, Stoke City 0.
Charlton Athletic 1, Aston Villa 1.
Chelsea 2, Manchester City 2.
Grimsby Town 3, Everton 0.
Liverpool 4, Sheffield United 0.
Manchester 4, Sheffield United 0.
Manchester United 0, Bolton Wanderers 2.
Portsmouth 1, Preston North End 0.
Sunderland 2, Wolverhampton Wanderers 1.

SECOND DIVISION
Brentword 3, Leeds United 0.
Bury 0, Bradford 4.
Cardiff City 0, West Ham United 3.
Chesterfield 0, Sheffield Wednesday 2.
Doncaster Rovers 1, Leicester City 1.
Luton Town 0, Fulham 3.
Millwall 0, Tottenham Hotspurs 0.
Newcastle United 1, Barnsley 0.
Southampton 2, Nottingham Forest 1.

THIRD DIVISION—NORTHERN
Barrow 1, Wrexham 1.
Carlisle United 4, Oldham Athletic 1.
Chester 1, Mansfield 2.
Crewe Alexandra 1, York City 3.
Darlington 1, Hartlepools United 0.
Lincoln City 3, Gateshead 0.
New Brighton 1, Hull City 0.
Rochdale 1, Stockport County 2.
Rotherham United 2, Tranmere Rovers 0.
Southport 1, Accrington Stanley 1.

SOUTHERN
Aldershot 2, Bristol Rovers 0.
Brighton and Hove Albion 2, Torquay United 1.
Bristol City 0, Walsall 0.
Exeter City 1, Bournemouth 1.
Leyton Orient 1, Ipswich Town 1.
Norwich City 3, Crystal Palace 1.
Notts County 2, Southend United 1.
Reading 1, Northampton 1.
Swindon Town 3, Watford 0.

Port Arthur Scores Third Straight Win

WINNIPEG (CP) — Port Arthur Bruins ripped the defences of Winnipeg Monarchs to shreds Thursday night to trounce the Manitoba champs 10 to 4 and go into a three-game lead in their best-of-seven western Canada junior hockey semifinal. Fourth game of the series will be played here tonight.

Hard-driving Rudy Migay was high point scorer for Bruins, who won the first two games of the round 12 to 3 and 6 to 4. Migay tallied twice and helped on two others.

Exhibition Baseball

Philadelphia (N)	1	6	0
St. Louis (N)	2	6	2

Batteries—Roberts, Heintzelman (4) and Padgett, Seminick; Staley, Wilks (7) and Wilber.

New York (A)	7	11	0
Boston (A)	2	10	3

Batteries—Reynolds, Starr (6) and Berra, Houck (2); Galehouse, Kinder (6) and Tebbetts.

Birmingham (SA	3	9	1
Washington (A)	10	14	0

Batteries—Ronay, Rogers (5), Orphal (8) and Walters; Cary, Ferrick (3), Welteroth (7) and Evans.

Detroit (A)	5	11	1
Cincinnati (N)	6	12	3

13 innings.

Batteries—Hutchinson, Trucks (6), Gentry (9) and Swift; Walters, Lively (7), Raffensberger (9), Cress (11) and Lamanno.

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Coast League Stars Win Soccer Exhibition

VANCOUVER (CP) — Coast League all-stars had too much polish for the V and D Soccer League's representative eleven at Callister Park Friday, winning the feature juvenile day event, 2 to 0.

The holiday affair, which lasted 4¼ hours, was witnessed by nearly 2,000 fans and helped swell the coffers of the juvenile league by about $2,300.

Just before the feature match got under way, North Shore Reds' classy left winger, Gordie Stewart, received the Ed Bailey Memorial Trophy as the outstanding juvenile player to break into senior company.

TIDES

Mar	Time h.m	Ht ft.	Time h.m	Ht ft.	Time h.m	Ht ft.	Time h.m	Ht ft.
27	3.57	2.3	10.43	2.9	17.22	7.0	22.34	5.8
28	4.26	2.4	11.33	2.4	20.30	7.1	23.09	6.5
29	4.48	2.4	12.25	2.2	22.26	7.4	23.36	7.2
30	4.58	2.4	...	...	13.20	2.1	...	...
31	4.43	2.3	...	...	14.19	2.2	...	...

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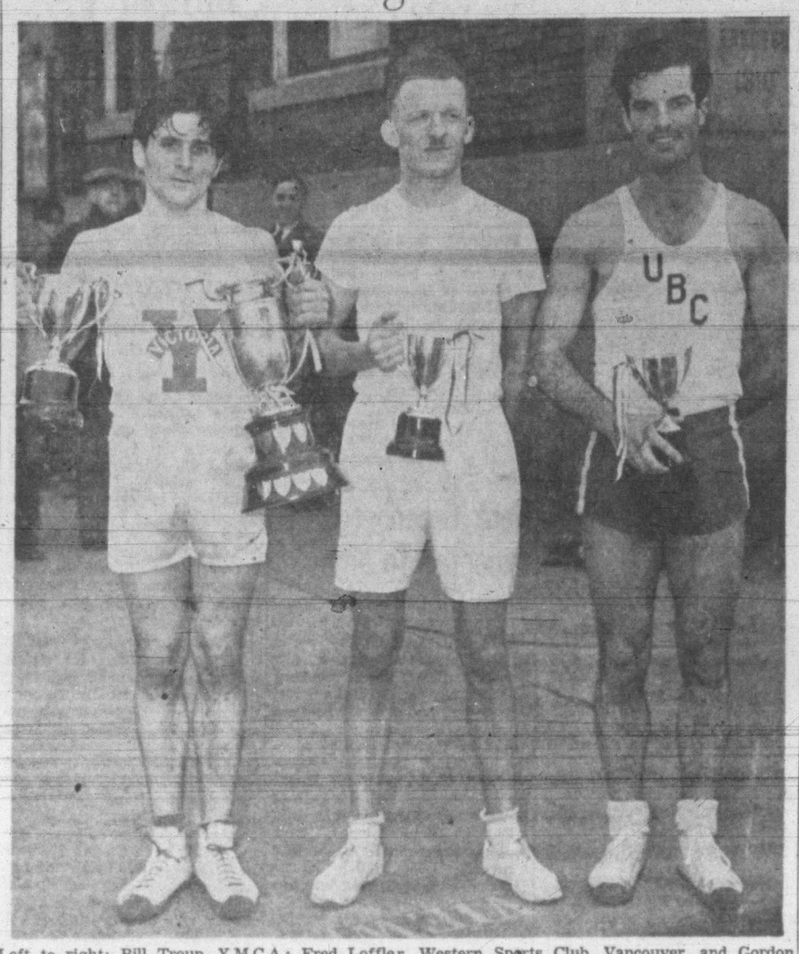

Left to right: Bill Troup, Y.M.C.A.; Fred Loffler, Western Sports Club, Vancouver, and Gordon Hartley, U.B.C.

Covering the 10-mile grind in the remarkable time of 55.44:02 Bill Troup of the Y.M.C.A. won the senior event of the annual Canadian Legion Road Race Good Friday to take possession of the Britannia Branch Perpetual Challenge Trophy for the second successive year.

Fred Loffler finished close behind Troup with Gordon Hartley third. All three runners finished well ahead of the field.

Phil Matson of Oak Bay, last year's junior winner, captured the two-and-one-half-mile intermediate event and the Daily Times Trophy by catching Ken Troup, 1947 intermediate titleholder, one block from the finish line and coming on to win handily. Matson's time was 14 minutes and 58 seconds. Stephens of the Navy finished third.

Brian Ruddick of Oak Bay finished in front in the one-mile junior event with Don Gill of the Y.M.C.A. second and Garry Pynn third. Ruddick closed strong to nose out Gill in the final stretch drive. His time was 5.46.5.

Magistrate Henry Hall presented trophies to the winners.

George Stevenson Island Game Department Head

Well thought of in local sportsmen's circles, Game Warden George Stevenson has been promoted by the B.C. Game Department as inspector of "A" Division, which covers the entire island and Alert Bay.

The new appointment was announced this week by the game board, and it makes Insp. Stevenson boss of game department personnel in the division.

For 19 years the World War I overseas veteran has done game conservation work for the department, and his excellent record in this connection has contributed to his gaining the step up the ladder. During his conservation career, Insp. Stevenson has operated in the Cariboo, Chilcootin, Peace River and lower mainland areas. He came to the lower island district two years ago.

GEORGE STEVENSON

A BANG-UP SHOOT SHOW

On Wednesday afternoon, May 12, the Victoria Gun Club's Albert Head Road shooting grounds will be the scene of a spectacular exhibition of shooting.

Open to the public—and free—the show will be staged by the globe-trotting pair of Dot and Ernie Linds, who fire rifles, shotguns and pistols from almost every imaginable angle and position and at varied targets. They are sponsored by the Winchester guns and ammunition and Western ammunition companies.

The fancy-shooting pair have been gunning professionally since 1935, but only as a team since 1940. They are proteges of Ad Topperwein, who for nearly half a century was referred to as the world's greatest all-round expert shot.

Victorians will see something really amazing when they watch this pair go into their act. For instance, Dot can puncture an aspirin at 50 feet, shoot out the bottom of a small-necked bottle with a well-placed shot down the small neck opening.

Among other things, Ernie can heave five eggs into the air, grab his pistol from the ground and knock all off before they hit the ground. He can fire 250 shots in three minutes at a piece of blank tin. The result is an outline of an Indian head.

Two Teams Share Lead In Intercity Tenpin Tourney

Two teams, Crescent Motors of Nanaimo and Shaw Sheet Metal of Victoria, were tied for the lead in the team event of the intercity tenpin bowling tournament which opened at Gibson's Bowladrome yesterday, each squad boasting a total of 2,675 pins.

In second place, just one pin behind the leaders were Duffy's Cafe of Victoria with 2,674. Duffy's and Shaw Sheet Metal were paired together in the draw.

Chuck Bennet of Shaw Sheet Metal, rolling with a handicap of 25 per game, took the lead in the race for the all-events with a three-game total of 578 plus handicap of 75 for 633 pins.

Tourney continues over the week-end with singles, doubles and team events scheduled.

Draw follows:

11—Doubles: Oberg and Bennett, Kersey and Hornby, Olsen and Pearce, Knott and Grimshaw, Logie and Leetham.
12—Singles: Bennett, Kersey and Hornby Olsen and Pearce, Knott and Grimshaw, Logie and Leetham.
1—Teams: McKenzie-Fraser, New Westminster, Columbia, New Westminster, Strathcona Cafe, Gorge Hotel, Tossery Shop, Nuts, Eagles.
3—Doubles: Sherritt and Cliff, Patterson and Crelshton, Tang and Borde, Bacon and Lawson, Murrant and Shaw.
4—Singles: Sherritt and Cliff, Bacon and Lawson, Patterson and McArthur, Borde, Murrant and Shaw.
7—Doubles: Dau and Mannering, Coutts and Cameron, Campbell and Metheral, Palmeri and Brissette, Wilson and Merrick, Bone and Welsh.
8—Singles: Dau and Mannering, Coutts and Cameron, Campbell and Metheral, Palmeri and Brissette, Wilson and Merrick, Bone and Welsh.

Cambridge Wins Boat Race In Record Time

LONDON (CP)—Cambridge University today defeated Oxford by five lengths in the 94th boat race between two universities, as the light blues rowed the 4¼-mile course in a record 17 minutes, 50 seconds.

With hundreds of thousands of spectators lining the River Thames in brilliant sunshine, the Cambridge crew clipped 13 seconds off the record set by the crew of Cambridge in 1934.

The light blue crew, definite underdog in all pre-race speculation, moved into a lead during the first mile and extended that lead to five lengths by the time they crossed the finish line. It was the second straight triumph for Cambridge, winners by 10 lengths last year.

The huge crowd in holiday spirit lined the towpath along the Thames from Putney to Mortlake wearing the colors of their favorite crews—dark blue for Oxford and light blue for Cambridge.

The winners are a milk-fed crew, having bought their own cow to enable them to have sufficient milk for their training table.

By its triumph, Cambridge will receive top consideration for the right to represent Britain in Olympic competition. In all the time trials during the past 10 days, the Oxford crew showed better form and recorded faster times.

However, it was evident after the race was about half-mile rowed, that the Cambridge crew meant to hold the slim lead it had managed at that point and cheers went up along the banks of the river when it was announced that the winners broke the old record of 18 minutes 3 seconds, set 18 years ago.

Akerman Captures Badminton Title

Defeating defending champion Mac Mowat, 21-4, Bob Akerman captured the men's singles championship of the Salt Spring Island Badminton Club this week.

Mowat reached the finals by defeating George Heinekey, 21-14, and Floyd Kay, 21-5. Akerman defeated Gordon Parsons, 21-10.

Fulford defeated Saanich in an exhibition basketball game, 40 to 17. Akerman topped scorers with 34 points.

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Injured Knee May End Marion's Career

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP)—Marty (Mr. Shortstop) Marion fears an injury jinx that helped prevent St. Louis Cardinals from repeating as National League champions last year, may end his baseball career.

Marion's left knee, which he hurt in a slide last year, is acting up again, and caused him to leave the training field yesterday with the remark that he didn't expect to play ball again unless the trouble is corrected.

Manitoba Accepts $1-A-Year Golf Levy

WINNIPEG (CP)—The Manitoba Golf Association has agreed to the $1-a-year tax proposal made some months ago by the Royal Canadian Golf Association, but the set-up is strictly voluntary so far as clubs affiliated with the M.G.A. are concerned.

At its annual meeting, the provincial body decided to request all affiliated clubs to assess their members $1 for the current golf season. If any clubs fail to subscribe to the plan the association will underwrite the deficit.

Our Mail Bag

LEGION ROAD RACES

To the Sports Editor:

May I express through your column the poor judgment shown by the Legion Good Friday road race committee in barring an entry from Vancouver. This young chap, who is only 17½ years had beeen training for the 10-mile event for some time and his application was one of the first for this event.

On March 20 he was informed that because he was not 19 years of age that he would not be permitted to enter the senior event. It was explained that if he wished to enter the two and a half-mile race, that would be permissable. On showing up at the starting line, he was again barred for not having made out a second application form.

I also wish to point out that the giving out of the prizes before all competitors had finished the race is a poor policy. Hoping that these mistakes will be adjusted in future events

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Transport Companies Report Brisk Easter Holiday Travel

The Easter holidays are providing a lush field of business for transportation companies operating out of Victoria, according to a round-up today.

Major transportation companies, the C.P.R. B.C. Coast Services, the Black Ball Line, Trans-Canada Air Lines and Vancouver Island Coach Lines, all report travel heavy during the early part of the holiday period and are looking forward to equally heavy travel in the next few days in returning the traveling holiday-makers to their homes.

AIRLINES BUSY

Trans-Canada Air Lines reported this Easter's travel better than that of 1947. To handle the record crowds, T.C.A. on Thursday put on nine extra round-trip flights between Victoria and Vancouver, in addition to the regular seven. Friday there were three extra round-trip flights. Today there are two extra, and on Sunday and Monday there will be five extra round-trip flights for each day.

The B.C.C.S. reported extra ships were being operated on the Victoria-Vancouver run. There was an additional night boat out of Victoria Thursday, an additional one out at 1.20 Friday afternoon, and there will be an extra sailing Sunday night and Monday after noon at 1.20.

AMERICANS VISIT

The Black Ball Line, operating between here and the U.S., reported exceptionally heavy travel. It has been good all week, officials say, but a further increase was noted Thursday and Friday. Sunday and Monday are also expected to be heavy travel days.

Vancouver Island Coach Lines reported heavy travel, particularly up-island with as many as seven extra buses going out on one schedule of one or two bus departures.

Island highways bore steady streams of holidayers and, after a slight let-up today, are expected to see a resurgence of travel in the next two days.

Would-Be Car Thief Caught After Chase

Harvey Kent Reader, who was caught by the owner of a car he was attempting to steal Thursday night after a two-block chase, appeared before Magistrate H. C. Hall at a special session of Esquimalt police court today. He elected trial before Magistrate H. C. Hall on a charge of attempted theft of the car, pleaded guilty and was remanded to next week for sentence.

Car owner was Jack Cockell, 1154 Bewdley Avenue. Mr. Cockell saw accused trying to take his car, which was parked on Joffre Street, about 10 at night. The owner took chase and after a two-block sprint caught accused, overpowered him and held him until Esquimalt police arrived.

Office, Clubhouse At Beacon Hill Entered

W. H. Warren, parks superintendent, reported to city police on Thursday his office in Beacon Hill Park had been broken into overnight. Detectives Fearon Woodburn and Gus Munro attended and found entrance had been gained by breaking the glass panel in the door and releasing the lock from within.

Drawers in the office were ransacked and a drafting set was stolen. A window on the east side of the office was broken.

Police believe the entrance was the work of a juvenile as small-sized fingerprints were found.

The bowling green clubhouse, nearby, was also entered. Lockers were ransacked and $1 in small change was taken from a metal cash box.

Boy Cyclist Injured

Graham Howard, aged 15, of 1145 Woodstock Avenue, received a severe cut below his right knee, bruises to his head and suffered from shock when his bicycle was in collision Friday evening with a car driven by Francis de Macedo, 1116 Fort Street.

The accident occurred at the intersection of Johnson and Cook Streets. Howard was riding south on Cook, while the de Macedo car was turning west on Johnson after coming north on Cook.

Kapell Believes U.S. Future Home Of Better Music

PIANIST KAPELL

European cities will never return to their former place as the training grounds for apprentice musicians, according to the belief of William Kapell, outstanding 25-year-old American pianist who arrived in Victoria today for his recital to be held at the Royal Theatre Tuesday evening.

Kapell, an enthusiastic supporter of American music, says the U.S. will produce better music during the next 100 years than all of western Europe put together. American composers, he says, have at last found the American idiom . . . music influenced largely by jazz and American folk music. These forms, he believes, will be the nucleus of American music of the future.

Kapell, a native New Yorker, is considered one of the outstanding members of the younger generation of musicians whose concert careers started after the beginning of World War II. Entirely American-trained, he has just returned from his first European concert tour where he appeared in London, Brussels, Vienna, Rome, Stockholm, Copenhagen, Paris, Prague and Switzerland. During the two previous summers he was heard in Australia and in South America.

Although he showed musical aptitude from babyhood, Kapell did not start to play the piano until the rather advanced musical age of 10. Before he was 20, he had won three major awards . . . the youth contest of the Philadelphia Orchestra, the Naumburg Foundation Award and the Town Hall Endowment series award. He made his first coast-to-coast tour in the season of 1942-43, and since that time has appeared with almost every major symphony orchestra in America.

Bovril Manager Was Poet, Philosopher

William James King, former vice-president and business manager of Bovril (Canada) Ltd., who died in Victoria Wednesday, was widely known as a poet, lecturer and philosopher.

Born in London, Eng., he became interested in English drama as a youth and during his early manhood attained considerable popularity as a lecturer on philosophical subjects. In later years, he became a close student of Shakespeare and was in great demand for his expositions and monologues of Shakespearean plays.

Mr. King was known to members of the St. James Literary Society in Montreal mostly for his poetry. His verses appeared in many Canadian periodicals and in a published volume of his works, entitled "For You, My Dear."

A. Lalonde, 736 Kings Road, reported to city police Friday that 12 gallons of gasoline had been drained from his panel truck which he had parked outside his home overnight. He also informed police a $5 screw jack had been taken from the truck two weeks ago.

Commemorate Resurrection In City Easter Services

The age-old beauty of the story of Christ's Resurrection from the dead will once again unfold as city churches commemorate the event at special services Easter Sunday morning and evening.

Easter lilies and spring flowers in profusion will decorate churches large and small. Choirs will sing the traditional Easter hymns and sermons will re-tell the Easter lesson.

Masses at St. Andrew's Cathedral will be at the usual Sunday times of 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, with Holy Communion served at each Mass. There will be Pontifical High Mass at 11 with the full Cathedral Choir, under direction of A. Cownden, singing the Mass.

Bishop Harold E. Sexton will preach at both morning and evening services at Christ Church Cathedral. There will be Holy Communion at 6, 7, 8, and 9.30 and festal matins and choral Eucharist at 11. At 7.30 in the evening there will be choral evensong.

At Metropolitan United Church, Dr. A. E. Whitehouse will give the morning sermon at 11 on "The Victory of God," and for the evening service at 7.30 the sermon subject will be "Because I Live, Ye Also Shall Live." "Most Glorious God of Life" will be one of the morning anthems. There will be church school for the intermediate and seniors at 9.45 and for juniors at 11.

"Resurrection Light on Calvary" is the subject chosen by Rev. J. L. W. McLean for his sermon at the 11-o'clock service at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. Sermon topic for the evening service at 7.30 is "The Glory of Easter." The choir will be in attendance and will render traditional Easter hymns.

Ordinance of Believer's Baptism will be given at the morning worship service at First Baptist Church at 11. Rev. G. R. Easter, pastor, will deliver the sermon, "A Tomb and a Garden." A choral service of Easter music, conducted by G. E. Bower, will be given at the evening worship at 7.30. A short sermon, "Another Highway," will be given.

At St. John's Church, Rev. George Biddle will deliver the morning sermon on "Believest Thou This," while Canon Michael Coleman will speak at the festal evensong at 7.30. There will be an organ prelude by Frederick Chubb at 7.10. Holy Communion will be given in the morning at 7, 8 and 9.15.

Rev. Hugh A McLeod will conduct morning and evening service at First United Church. The sacred cantata "Penitence," Pardon and Peace," by Maunder, will be presented by the choir in the evening with Mrs. Charles Goodwin, George Farmer and Jack Williams, soloists.

Town Topics

The Red Shield concert party will present a variety concert in the new hall at Pembroke and Belmont on Friday evening next. Proceeds will be used to purchase chairs for the new hall.

Oneil Roy was fined $20 by Magistrate Henry C. Hall in city police court this morning when he pleaded guilty to a charge of unlawfully assaulting Walter Reinhard in a downtown cafe Thursday evening.

Maj. H. G. Scott will speak on the subject "The Challenge to the Anglo-Saxons," when he addresses a meeting of the United Services Institute to be held April 1 at 8 in the Bay Street Armories.

A special program of Easter music will be presented at the Y.M.C.A. Sunday evening music hour, program director Bob Morrison of the "Y" announced today. Local artists including two vocalists and a pianist will appear on the program.

Whereabouts of Leslie J. Bayliss, who served as a medical sergeant with the Forestry Corps and later in Italy with No. 1 or No. 5 Canadian General Hospital is being sought here. Anyone knowing his whereabouts is asked to communicate with the Esquimalt Legion, 622 Admirals Road.

Patients at the Veterans' Hospital were entertained Thursday evening by the Victoria Aerie of the Fraternal Order of Eagles. George "Curly" Cole was M.C. The other artists being Frank (Highpockets) Moore, Ed. Moore, Glenn Priestly, Chuck Bowes, Ben Hogan, Jack Hooker, Rollie Walch, Tom Nickolichuk, Ken Hampton, Frank York, Clem Such, Roy Maycock and Bob Specht.

Cordial thanks have been received by the Esquimalt Canadian Legion from the Andrew Christmas Card Industry of Northumberland, England, for Christmas cards sent as the result of a collection made by the Legion. "We succeeded in making £400 last year, every penny of which will be devoted to disabled ex-servicemen who are unable to work to augment their pensions," the letter says.

Glenlyon School Boxing Tourney

With 45 boys taking part a successful boxing show was staged at Glenlyon Preparatory School Thursday.

Boys were coached by J. J. Timmins while judges were Jim Audain and Arnott of H.M.C.S. Naden.

In the junior division good exhibitions were given by Robert Denny and David Ulrich and John Manning and Hugh Knox with the first named being winners.

Dick Hibbard defeated Francis Bramble, Brian Johnson won from Hugh Molson and Maurice Pendergast defeated Donald Hospes in intermediate pairings.

Duncan Smith defeated Jim Sherratt by a close margin for the school championship. Awards were presented by Headmaster J. Ian Simpson. Jones Cup was presented to Smith with Brian Johnson being named best junior boxer under 12.

Gideons To Hold Sunrise Service Easter Morning

Fifth annual Sunrise Service of the Victoria Camp of the Gideons will be held on Easter Sunday morning at 7.45 in Beacon Hill Park.

The location for the service will be the same as last year, on the high, rocky ground just east of the roadway which enters Beacon Hill Park from the corner of Douglas and Michigan Streets at South Park School.

The Easter message will be delivered by Duncan A. Burden of the Victoria Gideon Camp. The music will be supplied by the Salvation Army band under bandmaster Max Chalk with Maj. Fred Howlett, S.A., as song leader. The coronet soloist will be Will Hastings and numbers will be contributed by the Ambassadors' Male Quartette.

The entire service will be carried over a loud speaker system so that those wishing to remain in their cars will be able to do so and still follow the service. Ample parking space is available from both Douglas and Rupert Streets. Each person attending will receive a complete printed program of the service and an attendance tag for the lapel.

Visitors and members of youth groups, Sunday School and Bible classes and the armed forces have been invited to attend by the Gideons.

"The Gideons are an international association of Christian businessmen with an evangelistic objective and a ministry of Bible distribution to hotels, hospitals, prisons, schools and various other establishments and Testament distribution to school children," John Stewart, president of the Victoria Camp, said today.

"They are interdenominational and non-sectarian and, as such, conduct these Easter services as a community undertaking for the benefit of all interested residents and visitors regardless of church or other affiliations."

Mrs. Georgia Hunter Dies In Montreal

Mrs. Georgia Mary Hunter, a native of Victoria, who served during the war as director of R.C.A.F. medical services overseas, died in a Montreal hospital Thursday, age 36 years.

A daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Hunter, Moss Street, both she and her husband had many friends in this city. Mrs. Hunter served for sometime with the R.C.A.M.C. before taking over her air force duties in England. She is survived by her husband; a brother, Douglas Hunter, Victoria; four aunts, Elizabeth, Catherine and Anna O'Sullivan, all of this city, and Mrs. Wm. Lawson, Vancouver.

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Indian Conference To Be Attended By Many Victorians

More than 15 delegates from Victoria are expected to attend the conference on Native Indian Affairs to be held at the University of British Columbia on April 1, 2, 3.

The conference, the first of its kind in British Columbia and possibly in Canada, is sponsored by the B.C. Indian Arts and Welfare Society of Victoria. The meeting will bring together all those concerned with the problem of native Indians.

Invitations have been extended to government officials, university departments, and churches which do missionary and educational work among the Indians.

Conference business sessions will commence April 2. Mrs. A. J. Tullis, president of the society, will be chairman of the morning session on arts and handicrafts.

NUMEROUS SPEAKERS

Speakers will be A. E. Pickford, museum anthropologist; Mrs. Mildred Valley Thornton, contributor, Vancouver Sun; Mrs. Ellen Neel, skilled native wood carver, and Mrs. J. Godman, convener of Handicraft Marketing for the society.

Health and Welfare will be the subject of the afternoon session under the chairmanship of Miss M. J. Smith, head of the Department of Social Work, University of B.C.; Albert Miller, Okanagan Society for Arts and Crafts; Chief Andrew Paull, president, North American Brotherhood; Dr. W. S. Barclay, medical superintendent, Coqualeetza Hospital, and Miss Amy Leigh, assistant director of welfare, Provincial Department of Health and Welfare, will be the speakers.

Dr. H. B. Hawthorn, professor of anthropology, University of B.C., will be chairman of the Saturday morning session when education will be discussed. Spokesmen are Maj. R. F. Davey, inspector of Indian schools for B.C.; Rev. Father J. L. Bradley, supervisor of Indian missions, Diocese of Victoria; Rev. Alan Greene, superintendent, Columbia Coast Mission; Rev. G. H. Raley, former principal, Coqualeetza Institute, and Chief William Scow, president, Native Brotherhood of B.C.

The last session of the conference will be given over to discussion of the training of teachers, welfare workers, doctors and nurses. Chairman will be Miss A. B. Jamieson of Vancouver and speakers will include Anthony Walsh, specialist in teaching Indian children; Dr. Petetr Kelly, United Church minister, and Dr. R. S. Tennant, regional superintendent of Indian Medical services.

Annual banquet of the Ex-R.A.F. Club of Victoria in commoration of the founding of the Royal Air Force, will be held April 1 at the Douglas Hotel. Members wishing to attend are asked to contact Bernard Shaw at G 7570 not later than Tuesday. Wives of members are invited to attend.

The Victoria Aged Pensioners' Association will meet April 1 at 2 at the Orange Hall. Members are requested to bring membership cards.

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B 8891—My Dearest Dear; My Life Belongs to You—Mary Ellis, Ivor Novello.

B 8904—I Heard a Forest Praying; I'll Walk Beside You—Peter Dawson.

B 8884—With Sword and Lance; Bersaglieri — Coldstream Guards Band.

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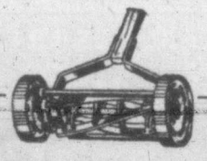

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Congress Asks Firmer Ban On War Goods To Russia

WASHINGTON (AP)—A Truman administration clamp-down on exports of war goods to Russia failed today to stifle demands in Congress for extra padlocks.

Representative Karl Mundt (Rep., S.D.) said he intends to proceed with an amendment to the $6,205,009,000 House of Representatives foreign aid bill which would give the director of the European Recovery Program veto power over "war potential" exports.

And Chairman Ross Rizley Rep., Okla.) said his House expenditures subcommittee is going to dig deeper into the disposal of Second World War surplus supplies to the Russians.

Committee investigators, he told a reporter, are going to New York to check goods being loaded in Russia-bound ships. He said they also will look into reports that speculators are selling export licenses.

For months congressional committees have been digging up information about oil and ships—and, in the last few days, airplane engines—Russia has been getting from the United States.

President Truman stepped into the export dispute Friday. He issued a proclamation tightening controls, particularly on exports of plane engines and radar equipment.

These developments occurred:

1. Commerce Secretary Harriman told a press conference Russia and her satellites are getting no exports except those the army and navy approve.

DELAY FOR MONTH

2. The War Assets Admiistration said it is delaying for at least 30 days taking Finland's high bid of $1,666,900 for 46 unused steam locomotives. Finland and Russia are talking over a military treaty, but W.A.A. didn't mention that, or any other reason for its action.

Harriman said all export licenses for any such goods now are reviewed by a special advisory board. Represented on it are: The army, navy, air force, Atomic Energy Commission, national security resources board and the departments of state, commerce, agriculture and interior.

Northern Ontario Swept By Blizzard

TORONTO (CP) — A blizzard struck northern Ontario today, delaying trains by as much as half a day in the Hearst area and driving snow as far south as Owen Sound. Highways in many districts were clogged with snow.

In southern Ontario, freezing rain threatened to make road travel treacherous.

Easter Sunday in Toronto is to be one of the coldest on record, with a 20-mile an hour north wind predicted. Temperatures may drop to 18 degrees above zero tonight and 36 above Sunday.

At Hearst the worst storm of the winter stalled taxis, buses and trucks in a foot of snow. Highway officials reported snow had also fallen in the Owen Sound district.

News of the Island

U.S. Aircraft Warns Drygoods Ship Of Jap Mine Ahead

PORT ALBERNI—Action of an American aircraft, believed to be naval, averted possible collision of the Caribou I, Vancouver, with a Japanese mine, at 10 Tuesday morning about three miles off Carmanah, on the west coast of Vancouver Island.

According to information given by the ship's personnel at Port Alberni Thursday, the aircraft circled the Caribou and dropped a tube containing warning that a mine was directly ahead. The ship changed course immediately.

The crew understood demolition of the mine was being undertaken.

The Caribou left Victoria Tuesday on a regular selling trip to Alaska via the Inside Passage. She is operated by two drygoods companies. Captain A. E. Baker, Vancouver.

To Form Flying Club At Port Alberni

PORT ALBERNI—Initial steps toward formation of the first flying club at the Albernis were taken Tuesday by students and instructors of Port Alberni Airways' Flying School. A meeting of the interested people was called for Sunday at the airport.

Fliers at the meeting claimed enough capable instructors reside in the area to instruct in all subjects "from radio to engines."

The local airline holds department of transport licenses for charter service and flying school. Officials of the line state they are willing to incorporate the proposed club under their existing charter.

About 25 students are taking flying courses at present. Two have received certificates and others are expected to become qualified soon.

Another aircraft could be acquired if the club is formed, the meeting felt, and would reduce waiting time by students seeking instruction on week-ends.

Cumberland Fears Mass Exodus

CUMBERLAND — A decrease of 50 per cent in business since the miners' strike at the Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir) Ltd., started Jan. 13, was revealed in a survey of Cumberland stores, according to merchants.

The Cumberland Board of Trade and Retail Merchants' Association expressed grave concern over the future existence of Cumberland at a meeting here and telgraphed Hon. Gordon S. Wismer, Minister of Labor, urging immediate provincial government action to settle the dispute between the collieries and the miners.

Board of Trade members said the prolonged strike was a matter of concern to the whole of Vancouver Island. Some members said a number of residents, including miners who had worked for the company for many years had left the city to seek work elsewhere.

Query $270 Theft From Parked Car

ALBERNI—Alberni police are investigating theft Saturday of Somass Legion's week-end proceeds amounting to about $270.

According to police, W. Christie, canteen steward, left the money in his car when he helped clean up the dance hall after both canteen and dance had closed. When he returned in about 10 minutes the money was gone.

Hospital Head

PORT ALBERNI—West Coast Hospital board elected H. W. Harding, provincial government representative on the board to the presidency at the annual meeting here. Charles Smith, group representative, was named vice-president and Harvey E. Taylor was reappointed secretary-treasurer and administrator.

Alberni Plans Gala Children's Sports

ALBERNI—The first kiddies' sports day at Alberni in many years, slated for May 7 (VE Day), by Somass Legion branch, No. 169, will be the most complete celebration the city has ever seen, according to Bill Hunt, chairman of a large committee now working on arrangements.

$1,000,000 Food Shipment

The Mayor of Westminster, right, presents a parcel of food from the Canadian Red Cross to a grateful Briton. A member of the overseas staff of the society looks on at left.

Completion of shipments carrying $1,000,000 worth of bulk food to the hungry peoples of Great Britain and Europe from the Canadian Red Cross Society has been announced by Dr. F. W. Routley, national commissioner for the society, in Toronto.

"Nearly 4,000,000 pounds of food have crossed the ocean within the last four months," Dr. Routley said. "While concentrating on the peacetime needs for the health and welfare of our own people in Canada with our current campaign for $3,000,000, we have not ignored the terrible suffering and great need of our fellow beings in other lands."

Word received from the overseas commissioner of the Canadian Red Cross, Col. R. W. Frost, in London, reveals that letters by the hundreds are pouring into the overseas office, thanking the Canadian society for its kindness in sending food.

The shipments sent included meat and meat preparations, corn syrup, fruit juices, dried milk powder, grain foods such as macaroni, rolled oats and corn and bran flakes, as well as a large consignment of vitamin preparations.

The $1,000,000 gift was allocated last October from surplus war funds of the society.

Shipments were consigned for distribution to the Canadian Red Cross representative in Britain, and, in Europe, to the Red Cross societies of the respective countries concerned. All goods were labeled "Gift from the people of Canada through the Canadian Red Cross Society."

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New Residents Find Jobs In Victoria Despite Scarcity

New arrivals in Victoria, from abroad and from across Canada, are finding employment for themselves despite the fact that jobs are not as plentiful as a year ago, according to the National Employment Office here.

Just where the majority of new arrivals have been able to find jobs, National Employment officials admit they are puzzled. But they do know the population is still increasing. Jobs are getting scarcer—yet unemployment is not increasing in proportion to the increase population.

Although about 4,000 shipyard workers were laid off at the end of the war, it has pointed out that the majority had remained in Victoria and had not moved to other localities where work was more plentiful.

"They must have jobs or they wouldn't be in Victoria," said one official. "We dont know what industries have absorbed them."

HOPE FOR NEW INDUSTRIES

Though employment officials felt the increase population was a good thing for business and would create more work, some were skeptical about the future because of the lack of manufacturing industries in Victoria.

Some hoped that new industries would spring up as the result of the increase population and thus offset the unemployment trend.

As for the current employment picture, the National Employment office reported that jobs were still scarce and conditions were about the same as they were a few months ago.

Jobs would be more plentiful towards the end of April when the tourist season opened, it was pointed out. Jobs in the building trades were also expected to jump in the near future.

Fallas Elected President Of Zone Council

Carl Fallas was re-elected chairman of the Victoria and District Zone Council of the Canadian Legion at the Legion's annual meeting. J. L. Martin, Saanichton branch, was elected vice-chairman.

Oak Bay Council advised the district council that it had met with Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation with a view to building houses for veterans conforming to the municipalities' building regulations. Oak Bay will advise council on any further developments.

The council strongly criticized a statement made by Hon. R. C. MacDonald, Minister of Municipal Affairs, with regard to agreements entered into by B.C. municipalities with Wartime Housing Ltd. The minister said it was not the function of the municipalities to grant fixed sums in lieu of taxes for houses for veterans. He said the Dominion government should make these grants.

The council decided to write a letter to the minister asking for his solution to the problem of 1,600 families seeking homes in Greater Victoria.

The meeting also endorsed a suggestion that apartment buildings over stores be encouraged to relieve the housing situation.

Reserve Forces Activities

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Tuesday—20.00 hours. Duty officer, Sub-Lt. J. Hubbard. Duty supply officer, Lieut. (S.) G. Dixon. Duty quartermaster, AB. Winters. Dress for officers, No. 5. Training as per syllabus.

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Tuesday—19.45 hours, training parade. Dress, battle dress.

Friday—19.30 hours, N.C.O.'s course as per syllabus.

CASADIAN SCOTTISH REGT.

Easter Monday—No parade.

Thursday—19.30 hours, training parade. Dress, battle dress.

58TH and 59TH L.A.A. WORKSHOPS, R.C.E.M.E.

Tuesday—19.45 hours, training parade. Dress, roll call order.

Wednesday—20.00 hours, miniature range practice.

13TH FIELD AMBULANCE, R.C.A.M.C.

Tuesday—20.00 hours, training parade. Dress, roll call order.

46TH FIELD SAN. SECTION, R.C.A.M.C.

Tuesday—20.00 hours, training parade. Dress, roll call order.

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Monday—No parade.

Tuesday—19.45 hours, parade at school of artillery building, Work Point Barracks. Dress, battle dress.

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Pirate Raid Off Cornish Coast

LONDON (AP)—The Admiralty today promised an investigation of a "pirate raid" by foreign trawlers which allegedly broke an unwritten rule of the sea and fouled the fishing lines of a tiny Cornish fleet.

Indignant fishermen, returning to the port of Looe, on England's southwest coast, said three diesel-powered trawlers bore down on seven Cornish luggers 45 miles southeast of the Eddystone lighthouse, snarling their equipment and ruining a record catch.

A. J. Pengelly, chairman of the Looe Harbor Commission, said the fishermen lost an estimated 70,000 pounds of fish valued at £1,000 ($4,000) as well as equipment worth £300.

The alleged raid was made Tuesday as the Cornishmen steamed westward with a record number of fish biting at thousands of baited hooks trailing astern each vessel.

The bigger and more powerful "raiders" were said to have steered a zigzag course across the Cornish fleet's wake, ripping into the lines.

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Immortality Of Soul

Scripture: Colossians 3:1-4, 12-17; 1 John 5:11-112

By WILLIAM E. GILROY, D.D.

When we think and speak of the immortality of the soul we tend to have in mind the thought of time and survival, the here and the hereafter. But when Jesus spoke of eternal life His emphasis was all on the quality of the life.

"This is life eternal," He said in His prayer for the disciples (John 17:3), "that they know thee the only true God and Jesus Christ whom thou hast sent." He said also, "Because I live ye shall live also."

The passages chosen for our lesson bring this out. They speak of the new life in Christ, which is the foretoken and ground of the life immortal. The nature and quality of that life are beautifully expressed in the passages in our lesson from Colossians, as they are in all New Testament expositions of the Christian's experience in Christ.

We must think of future life in terms of the life that now is. It is what we are in Christ that gives us the hope of immortality. I think that the most effective Easter sermon that I ever heard centred around the preacher's' challenge to the congregation. "What is there in your life that is worthy of immortality?" That is a solemn and disturbing thought.

What we are here has to do with what we shall be. John says, "Beloved, now are we the sons of God, and it doth not yet appear what we shall be." But it is because we are now the sons of God, that there is the promise of that longer life.

In another great Easter sermon, the late Dr. George A. Gordon, famous minister of Boston's Old South Church, once drew a contrasted picture of what is expressed in two well-known hymns — the one, "On Jordan's stormy bank I stand," expressing the wistful look toward the land of immortality "where my possessions lie," the other the hymn of the blind minister and poet, George Matheson, expressing the present possession:

"O Love, that wilt not let me go,
I rest my weary soul in thee;
I give thee back the life I owe,
That in thine ocean depths its flow
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CHRISTADELPHIANS

CHRISTADELPHIANS — ROYAL BANK Hall corner of Fort and Cook Streets. Sunday morning at 11.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

CHURCH OF CHRIST, 1620 FERNWOOD Road. Church meets at 11 a.m. for Breaking of Bread. G 2670 secretary.

FOURSQUARE GOSPEL

ESQUIMALT FOURSQUARE CHURCH, 891 Esquimalt Road, near Head Street. Services: 10 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m., Fellowship; 7.30 p.m., evangelistic; Wednesday 8 p.m., Bible study; Friday 8 p.m., Crusaders.

GOSPEL HALLS

BETHESDA, 1900 OAK BAY AVENUE, corner Davie Street. Sunday at 11 a.m., Lord's Supper; 3 p.m., Sunday school and Bible classes; 7.30 p.m., gospel service, speaker, Mr. D. Burden. Wednesday at 8 p.m., prayer and Bible study. Thursday at 3 p.m., women's meeting.

OAKLANDS GOSPEL HALL
(Cedar Hill Road at Hillside)

Sunday—
11.00 a.m.—The Lord's Supper.
3.00 p.m.—Sunday school and Bible class
7.15 p.m.—Gospel meeting. T. Crawford and Ambassador Male Quartette.
9.00 p.m.—Young people's meeting.

Tuesday—
7.00 p.m.—Young people's treasure time

Thursday—
2.30 p.m.—Women's missionary prayer meeting.
8.00 p.m.—Assembly missionary prayer meeting.

Friday—
7.00 p.m.—Teen Time

ROSS BAY GOSPEL HALL, CORNER OF Joseph and May Streets. Sunday, 11 a.m., Worship and Breaking of Bread; 3 p.m. Sunday school and Bible class; 7.30 p.m., gospel service, speaker, Mr. D. Roberts. Wednesday, 8 p.m., Bible reading and prayer. Friday, 7 p.m., children's hour, all boys and girls invited.

VICTORIA GOSPEL HALL, 935 PANdora Avenue—11 a.m., Worship and Breaking of Bread; 3 p.m., Sunday school; 7.30 p.m., gospel service, speaker, Mr. Wm. Wilson, evangelist; 8 p.m., Wednesday, young people's service; 8 p.m., Thursday, prayer and thanksgiving.

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SPIRITUALIST

FIRST UNITED SPIRITUALIST CHURCH K. of P. Hall, Cormorant Street (near Douglas). Rev. Ethel Showers will deliver the Easter message. Soloist, Mrs. Grant and Mrs. Nattrass. Messages after the service.

OPEN DOOR SPIRITUALIST CHURCH, 1660 Cook Street. Sunday services, 11 a.m., Lyceum; 7.30 p.m., We are to celebrate the 100th anniversary of Modern Spiritualism. Speakers and clairvoyance will be Rev. E. Milne, Rev. B. C. Hamilton and Dr. Holder. There will be Easter music. Thursday at 8 p.m., healing and message circle in charge of Dr. Holder and assistance.

KINGDOM MINISTRY
Crystal Garden, Sunday, 7.30 p.m.
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Music by Miss Ethel James
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Friday, Young Peoples—7.30 p.m.
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11 a.m.—"CHRIST, A PRESENT REALITY"
Solo, Florence Smith
Ordinance of Baptism Administered
7.30 p.m.—"THE GREAT CERTAINTY"
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Sunday School meets with the Church at 11 a.m.

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Saturday, 8 p.m.—Praise Meeting
SUNDAY
11 a.m.—Holiness Meeting and Dedication Service
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class
7.30 p.m.—Great Evangelistic Meeting and Enrollment Service
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FESTAL MATINS and CHORAL EUCHARIST
11 a.m.
Preacher:
The Lord Bishop
CHORAL EVENSONG
7.30 p.m.
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ST. JOHN'S
Quadra near Pandora
REV. GEORGE BIDDLE, Rector
EASTER DAY
7, 8, and 9.15 a.m.
HOLY COMMUNION
11 a.m.
Easter Service and Communion
"Believest Thou This?"
Preacher, THE RECTOR
7.10 p.m.—Organ Preludes
Frederick Chubb, B.A., Mus.B., F.R.C.O.
Scherzo ---------- Chubb
Finale ---------- Chubb
7.30 p.m.
FESTAL EVENSONG
Preacher, REV. CANON MICHAEL COLEMAN
SUNDAY SCHOOL
Senior Department—9.45 a.m.
Primary—11 a.m. as usual

ST. MARY'S CHURCH
ELGIN ROAD, OAK BAY
EASTER DAY SERVICES
Holy Communion—7, 8, 9.30 a.m. and noon
Matins and Sermon—11 a.m.
Preacher
Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunns
Evensong and Sermon—7 p.m.
Preacher, Rev. S. J. Wickens
Children's Service in Parish Hall at 9.45 a.m.
Address by Mr. N. J. Williams
MONDAY
10.30 a.m.—Holy Communion
THURSDAY
10.30 a.m.—Holy Communion

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EASTER DAY
7 and 8 a.m.—Holy Communion
11 a.m.—Procession and Sung Mass
7.30 p.m.—Solemn Evensong and Procession
Monday and Tuesday in Easter Week
9 a.m.—Holy Communion
Wednesday
Holy Communion—8 a.m.
Thursday
Holy Communion—7.30 a.m.
Friday
Holy Communion—9.30 a.m.
REV. E. MUNN, Rector

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8 a.m.—HOLY COMMUNION
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8 a.m.—Holy Communion
10 a.m.—Children's Easter Service
11 a.m.—CHORAL EUCHARIST
"THE EASTER VICTORY"
7.30 p.m.—EASTER FESTAL EVENSONG
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Vicar:
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Vicar, The Rev. Douglas Kendell
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Children's Service—9.45 a.m.
CHORAL COMMUNION—11 a.m.
FESTAL EVENSONG—7 p.m.

ST. ALBAN'S
Ryan St. at Belmont Ave. (Oaklands)
EASTER SERVICES
7 a.m.—Holy Communion
8 a.m.—Holy Communion
10 a.m.—Children's Service
11 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sermon
7.30 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon
REV. F. E. M. TOMALIN, Vicar

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EASTER DAY
8 a.m.—Holy Communion
11 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Ante Communion
Subject: "THE POWER OF THE RESURRECTION"
Baritone solo: "O Divine Redeemer" (Gounod), Mr. R. Dunn.
7.30 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon
Subject: "THE STONE ROLLED AWAY"
Soprano solo: "In the End of the Sabbath" (Speaks), Mrs. Stanley Edwards.
Trumpet solo: "The Stranger of Galilee" (Morris), Mr. J. Mossop.
Choir anthem: "The Strife Is O'er"
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11 a.m.—"TRIUMPHANT DEFEAT"
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7.30 p.m.—
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11 a.m.—"THE VICTORY OF GOD"
Morning anthems: "Most Glorious Lord of Life" (West)
"Unfold Ye Portals Everlasting" (Gounod)
"Hallelujah" from Mt. of Olives (Beethoven)
7.30 p.m.—"BECAUSE I LIVE, YE SHALL LIVE ALSO"
Evening anthems: "On Wings of Living Light" (Matthews)
"This Joyful Eastertide" (Cowley)
"Hallelujah" from "The Messiah" (Handel)
Preacher: Dr. A. E. Whitehouse at both services.
9.45 a.m.—Church School; Intermediate and Senior
11 a.m.—Church School; Juniors, Beginners, Primary, Nursery
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EASTER SERVICES
11 a.m.—Public Worship
Dr. Hugh A. McLeod will preach.
Soprano solo: "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth" ("Messiah," Handel), Vera Hulatt.
Anthem: "They Have Taken Away My Lord" (Stainer).
7.30 p.m.—Public Worship
CANTATA—"PENITENCE, PARDON AND PEACE" (Maunder); soloists, Mrs. Charles Goodwin, Messrs. G. Farmer and J. Williams.
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Soloist, Mrs. S. Swetnam.
7.30 p.m.—"EASTER MESSAGE IN SONG"
Congregational singing and "CHORAL MUSIC BY THE CHOIR"; soloists, Mrs. Alma T. Wittick, Mr. Frank Ivings and Mr. J. Almond.
10 a.m.—Bible Class 11 a.m.—Sunday School

Fairfield United Church
Five Points Pastor, REV. W. ALLAN
11 a.m.—"NEWNESS OF LIFE"
Anthem: "As It Began to Dawn" (Martin), soloist, Margaret Husband.
7.30 p.m.—SERVICE OF EASTER MUSIC
Soloists, Mrs. Grovina Ireland and Wm. Van Druten.
The FIJI SINGERS from the South Sea Islands will also assist in the service.

Oak Bay United Church
Mitchell and Granite
Minister:
W. W. McPHERSON, M.A., D.Th.
Director of Music, Francis Stevenson
11 a.m.—"THE EASTER SUNRISE"
Anthem: "We Declare to You" (Maunder).
Anthem: "Christ Is Risen" (Elvey).
Solo: "Easter Hymn" (Frank Bridge), Mrs. Elsie Stephenson.
7.30 p.m.—"THE EASTER HOPE"
Anthem: "Jesu, Fount of Consolation" (Bach).
Anthem: "O Come Let Us Sing" (Peace).
Solo: "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth" (Handel), Miss Mary Sinclair.

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11—Church School
11.00—Morning Worship: "A TOMB and a GARDEN"
Ordinance of Believers' Baptism"
Solo: "A NEW COMMANDMENT," Mr. Ralph McAdam
Choir: "SPRING BURSTS TODAY," (G. Shaw);
"BLESSED BE THE GOD" (S. S. Wesley).
7.30—Evening Worship: EASTER CHORAL SERVICE
(This will be a great service of Easter music.)
Sermonette: "ANOTHER HIGHWAY"
Illustrated Song Service
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PLAZA

Where To Go Tonight

(As Advertised)

ATLAS—Walt Disney's "Fun and Fancy Free."

CAPITOL—Bob Hope in "Where There's Life."

DOMINION—Joe E. Brown in "The Tender Years."

OAK BAY—"Men of Two Worlds," starring Eric Portman.

ODEON—James Mason in "The Upturned Glass."

PLAZA—"Black Gold," starring Anthony Quinn.

RIO—"Tarzan and the Amazons," starring Johnny Weissmuller.

ROYAL—" U nconquered," starring Gary Cooper and Paulette Goddard.

YORK—International, "Bells of San Fernando," starring Shirley O'Hara.

PLAZA THEATRE

Night clubs in Hollywood would go broke if they had to depend upon the patronage of actress Elyse Knox. She has visited only one in more than a year, and instead spends her leisure time at home, where she keeps busy making her place more attractive. Miss Knox is seen as a school teacher in Allied Artists' million-dollar success, "Black Gold," starring Anthony Quinn and now at the Plaza Theatre.

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ODEON THEATRE

Interesting behind-the-credits story of "The Upturned Glass," the new James Mason film, now at the Odeon Theatre, concerns Betty Box. Blonde Betty Box gained feature film experience at her brother's Riverside Studios with such films as "The Seventh Veil," "The Years Between," "A Girl in a Million" and "Daybreak." Since taking up her new assignment for Gainsborough she has produced "Dear Murderer," starring Eric Portman and Greta Gynt, and is now handling the new Patricia Roc subject, "When the Bough Breaks."

ATLAS THEATRE

A fantastic novelty in feature length is Walt Disney's enchanting "Fun and Fancy Free," with color by Technicolor, which is now at the Atlas Theatre. One main sequence concerns the romance of Bongo and Lulubelle, based on a short story by Sinclair Lewis about two little bears who are menaced by a gigantic bear, Lumpjaw. A comic giant performs in the "Mickey and the Beanstalk" sequence.

DOMINION THEATRE

In his first straight dramatic screen role, Joe E. Brown will be seen in "The Tender Years," playing the role of a small-town minister who is catapulted into the fight of his life when he sets out to right a wrong most of the respectable townspeople had previously winked at. 20th Century-Fox release, an Alson Production directed by Harold Schuster, is now being shown at the Dominion Theatre.

ROYAL THEATRE

Gary Cooper, Paulette Goddard, Howard Da Silva and Boris Karloff head a cast of thousands appearing in Cecil B. DeMille's gigantic technicolor production for Paramount, "Unconquered," which is currently at the Royal Theatre.

"Unconquered," DeMille's first film in three years, is an epic-proportioned picturization of Neil H. Swanson's adventure-packed novel of frontier life.

RIO THEATRE

Swimming champion of five Olympics and holder of 67 world records, Johnny Weissmuller is rated the outstanding aquatic star of all time. His latest film role is in "Tarzan and the Amazons," now being shown at the Rio, Sol Lesser's new RKO Radio production, in which Weissmuller shares his honors with Brenda Joyce and little Johnny Sheffield.

Weekly Fishing Bulletin Issued By Game Wardens

VICTORIA DETACHMENT

Shawnigan Lake—During the early part of the week fishing was fair, owing to adverse weather conditions at the week-end few anglers out. Fair results to be expected provided good weather prevails.

Kemp Lake—Results at present fair. Should be good in a week or two.

Matheson Lake—Few anglers at this lake. Bait fishermen are having a fair measure of success.

Sooke River—Fair results in upper reaches for troll fishermen. No report on fly.

Koksilah River — Water too high and fast owing to heavy rain.

ROYAL OAK DETACHMENT

Big and Little Thetis Lakes—Poor.

Elk and Beaver Lakes—Poor, owing to heavy rain and cold weather.

Cushion Lake (Salt Spring) — Fair catches trolling and bait fishing. The fishermen are enthusiastic about the Kamloops trout caught here as they measure 10 to 12 inches. These trout were put in the lake only 12 months ago as fingerlings.

DUNCAN DETACHMENT

Rivers—Owing to the heavy rain over the week-end; all rivers too muddy to fish.

Sea Fishing—Blueback fishing is still good off Crofton.

NANAIMO DETACHMENT

Little change in fishing conditions in this area. Small bags of three or four trout are the rule and the back country lakes are not yet in condition to fish.

ALBERNI DETACHMENT

The pot holes and small lakes have started to fall away for fishing. The main lakes have not to date shown anything. Hope is high for the Easter week-end, with Sproat Lake being a starter.

The lakes on the higher elevation are still frozen over.

QUALICUM DETACHMENT

Adverse weather conditions have been against good results in sport fishing in the local rivers and streams. Trout have been showing, and a few days of warm weather to start their fry moving will mean some good fishing for cutthroat both in the estuaries and upriver, as well as a chance for an odd late-run steelhead.

YORK THEATRE

A third of a century in the motion picture business is the record, compiled by James S. Burkett, who produced "Bells of San Fernando," Screen Guild Productions' story of early California mission life which is now at the York.

CAPITOL THEATRE

Bob Hope's latest comedy for Paramount, "Where There's Life," is now at the Capitol Theatre.

The film also stars Signe Hasso and William Bendix, with George Coulouris, Vera Marshe, George Zucco and Harry von Zell importantly featured in the supporting cast.

SAANICH BASKETBALL

Three basketball games will be played at Saanichton Hall Monday. Two midget boys teams will open proceedings at 6.30 with Saanich Girls meeting Comets at 7.30 and Saanich senior B men clashing with Chemainus at 8.30.

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Selection from Carmen" Bizet-Woodhouse
SONGS
"Ave Maria" ..... Schubert
"Il Bacio" ..... Arditi
Grace Adams with Orchestra
MARCH
"Colonel Bogey" ..... Alford
Selection "Pirates of Penzance" Sullivan
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Announcements

BIRTHS

GRAY—To Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Gray at Royal Jubilee Hospital, on March 26, 1948, twins, son and daughter. All well, thanks to Dr. Mair.

HEDDLE—To Mr. and Mrs. Rognvald Heddle, Montreal, P.Q., on March 25, the gift of a son, Eric Douglas.

DUNCAN—To Mr. and Mrs. D. Duncan (nee Rhoda Gledhill, R.N.) at St. Joseph's Hospital, a son, Maurice Evan. (5-lbs. 8-oz.) (Vancouver papers, please copy.)

MARRIAGES

GERMAN-LEY—Capt. and Mrs. R. H. Ley, 16 Paddon Avenue, announce the marriage of their daughter, Sage Janet, to Lt. Andrew Barry German, R.C.N., H.M.C.S. Naden, son of Capt. and Mrs. Barry German, Mayfair Apts., Ottawa, Ont. The ceremony took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock at Christ Church Cathedral, Rt. Rev. the Lord Bishop of Columbia officiating.

AVERY-HARPER—Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Harper, 488 Admirals Road, Esquimalt, B.C., announce the marriage of their daughter, Sara Ann, to Harold Kenneth Avery, 438 Admirals Road, son of Mr. Charles Avery, and Mrs. E. Woodrow, Winnipeg, Man. The ceremony took place on March 25, 1948, at 6.30 o'clock in St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church, Rev. Creal officiating.

DEATHS

BUNDUS—In this city on March 26, 1948, Mrs. Katherine Bundus, at the age of 68 years. The late Mrs. Bundus had resided at Ashcroft, B.C. before coming to Victoria 15 months ago; she leaves to mourn her passing one daughter, Mrs. Bertha Larson of Radville, Sask., one son, John Bundus of Ashcroft, B.C.
The remains are resting at the Curry Funeral Home, pending funeral arrangements.

COLLISTER—Passed away on March 24, 1948, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. T. A. Temple, Nelson, B.C., John Richard Collister, aged 84; born in Brisbane, Australia, and a resident of British Columbia for 73 years. Besides his daughter, he leaves two sisters, Mrs. John Barnsley, Victoria, and Mrs. Harry O. Miles of Los Angeles, Cal.; one grandson, Allan, and several nieces and nephews.
Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Tuesday at 3 p.m. Interment in family plot, Ross Bay Cemetery.

DEARDEN—On March 26, 1948, at the residence of her daughter, Mary Ann Dearden, aged 87 years, widow of the late Alfred Dearden. She was born in Belfast, Ireland, and had resided in Victoria for the past 59 years. The late Mrs. Dearden is survived by two daughters, Mrs. White of 1055 Opal Street, and Mrs. S. Joyce of 1038 Caledonia Ave. (with whom she resided), four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren; also one sister Mrs. M. Lindley of 1048 Pandora Ave., and nephews and nieces.
Funeral services will be held in McCall Brothers Floral Funeral Chapel on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Major F. Howlett officiating. Interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

HUNTER—Passed away in Montreal on March 25 after a short illness, Mary Georgina Hunter, age 36. Born in Victoria. Beloved wife of Col. J. E. Hunter of Ottawa and daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Hunter of Victoria. Survived by besides her husband, one brother, Douglas J., of Victoria.
Funeral services will take place Monday, March 29. Interment in Ottawa.

JONES—On March 25, 1948, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Clarence Audley Searles Jones, only son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones of 2838 Dufferin Ave., aged 51; born in Grenfell, Sask., and a resident of Victoria for the past 10 years. Besides his parents, in Victoria, he leaves three sisters, Mrs. A. E. Hill of Oliver, B.C.; Mrs. D. E. MacLennan, in Victoria, and Mrs. W. A. Dollar of Long Beach, Cal.
Private funeral service in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Monday, March 29. Cremation. (No flowers, by request.) (Kelowna Courier, please copy.)

KENSINGTON—At the residence, 1367 Hampshire Road, on March 24, 1948, late of Saltcoats, Sask., and Winnipeg, Mrs. Ellen Ann Kensington, aged 82 years, widow of Edward Douglas Kensington; born in Houghton-on-the-Hill, Leicestershire, England, and a resident of Victoria for two years. She leaves a daughter, Miss Gladys Kensington, at home, and one nephew, John Roberts of Ottawa, Ont.
Funeral on Monday, leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 1.15 p.m. for St. John's Church, where service will be conducted by Rev. George Biddle at 1.30 p.m. The remains will be forwarded on Monday night's boat to Saltcoats, Sask., for interment.

ANNOUNCEMENTS (Continued)

DEATHS

KISSINGER—On March 26, 1948, in this city, Kathleen Joan Kissinger, aged 2½ years, and John Daniel Kissinger, aged 1½ years, beloved children of Mr. and Mrs. John Daniel Kissinger of 439 Richmond Road. They were born in Victoria and leave to mourn their loss, besides their parents, one brother Paul, and their paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Kissinger Sr. of 1110 Fairfield Road; also uncles and aunts.
Funeral services will be held on Monday morning leaving McCall Brothers' Floral Chapel at 8.45 and proceeding to St. Andrew's Cathedral where services will be held at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

MARKOW—Passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on March 25, William Markow, aged 52 years, born in Poland, and a resident of this city for the past eight months, late residence 710 Cormorant Street. Survived by one son, Danny Markow, and one sister, Miss Lydia Markow.
The remains will be forwarded on tonight's boat to Bowell Funeral Home, New Westminster, where funeral services and interment will take place. The Sands Mortuary Ltd. are in charge of arrangements.

MAYNARD—On March 25, 1948, at the Veterans' Hospital, Ernest Maynard, aged 64 years, of 204 Government Street, beloved husband of Marie Morrison. He was born in England and had resided in Victoria for the past four years. The late Mr. Maynard leaves to mourn his loss, besides his loving wife, two sons, Stanley Gordon and Leslie Albert Maynard, both of Ladner, B.C., and one grandson, James Gordon Maynard; also one brother, George, of Kamloops, B.C., and one sister, Mrs. D. Thomas, of Saskatoon, Sask.
Funeral services will be held in McCall Brothers Floral Funeral Chapel on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, interment will be in the Military Cemetery, Esquimalt.

MORRISON—On March 26, at St. Joseph's Hospital, John Morrison of Morrison Electric, 714 Cormorant Street. Born in Grangemouth, Scotland, resident of Victoria for many years and well known in business circles. He is survived by his wife, Marie, and family; also his father in Grangemouth.
Funeral services will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock in McCall Brothers' Floral Funeral Chapel, Rev. J. L. W. McLean officiating. Interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

TURNER—Passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on March 25, James Turner, aged 77 years, born in Manchester, England, and came to this province over 40 years ago, late residence 2251 Cadboro Bay Road. Survived by one son, Lester, of Shawnigan Lake, one daughter, Mrs. May Hill of Berkley, California; also two grandchildren.
Funeral services will be announced later by the Sands Mortuary Ltd.

FUNERAL

ALLEN—A large attendance of sympathizing friends was present at the funeral of William Allen held from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Tuesday, March 23, Rev. T. H. McAllister conducting the service. The hymns, "Rock of Ages" and "Abide With Me" were sung. A profusion of beautiful floral tributes was received. The following were pallbearers: H. G. Painter, J. R. Donaldson, sons-in-law of the deceased, and E. Wilcox, W. Allen, H. Hazzard and H. G. Painter Jr., grandsons.
The remains were laid at rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. William Allen and family wish to thank their many friends and relatives for their kindness and beautiful flowers, and messages of sympathy, received during their sad bereavement in the loss of a loving husband and father. Grateful thanks are also extended to Dr. Ptak and sisters and nurses at St. Joseph's Hospital.

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C.C.F. HALL, MOUNT TOLMIE—MILITARY 500 game, Thursday, 8.30; good prizes; 25c. 1-72

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5 COMING EVENTS (Continued)

EASTER FROLIC OLD-TIME DANCE tonight, Fraser Street Hall, Stewart's orchestra. Coffee, prizes. Admission 50c. 1-73

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Music for Moderns—CJVI.
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True or False—KVI.
5.45: Music Unlimited—CJOR.
6.00 — To You Tonight—KJR.
Here's to Veterans—KOMO.
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Boston vs. Toronto—CBR.
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6.30 — Teen Talent Quest—CJVI.
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Lone Ranger—KJR.
News—CJOR, CKWX.
Barn Dance—CBR.
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Truth or Consequences—KOMO.
Mat Brandwin—CJVI.
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9.00 — Your Hit Parade—KOMO.
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Glenn Hardy—KVI.
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9.15: Hoagy Carmichael—KIRO.
9.30 — News—KJR
Music From Hollywood—KOMO
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Vaughn Monroe—KIRO.
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10.00 — Magic Hour—KJR.
News—CBR, CJOR, CKWX.
KIRO KOMO
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Dance Orch—KVI.
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Magic Hour—KJR
White Rose Ballroom—CJOR.
Charlie Spivak—CBR.
News—CJVI.
Record Party—KVI.
At Close of Day—CKWX.
11.00 — News—KOMO, CJOR.
Dance Party—CJVI.
Weather; Concert Hour—KIRO.
Bob Harvey Orch.—KJR.
Dance Orch—KVI.
Eddie Orta Orch.—CBR.
News and Doghouse—CKWX.
11.30: Lyon's Orch.—CBR.

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11.00 — Victor Show—KOMO.
CBS Is There—KIRO.
Around the World—KJR.
Church—CJVI
Metropolitan Tabernacle CJOR
News; Capital Reports—CBR.
News; Church Service—CKWX
William L. Shirer—KVI.
11.30 — Metropolitan Tabernacle—CJOR.
Harvest of Stars—KOMO.
Speak Up—KIRO.
Science Headlines—KJR
Religious Period—CBR.
Church—CJVI
United Church Service—CKWX.
Bill Cunningham—KVI.
12.00 — Eddy Howard—KOMO.
Lassie—KJR
Metropolitan Tabernacle—CJOR.
Symphony—KIRO, CBR.
Church—CJVI
News—CKWX, KVI.
12.30 — One Man's Family—KOMO.
Sammy Kaye—KJR
News—CJOR, CJVI.
Juvenile Jury—KVI.
Symphony—KIRO, CBR
News; Peter Dawson—CKWX.
12.45: Record Showcase—CJVI.
1.00 — Quiz Kids—KOMO
Salon Concert—CJVI.
Sound Off—KJR.
British Israel Association—CJOR.
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2.00—"The Informer," drama of Black and Tan days in Dublin, prestend on Ford Theatre—CJOR, KOMO.
4.30—Bing Crosby, Dennis Day and other stars observe Easter on Triumphant Hour—CKWX.
5.00—Robert Montgomery, Dame May Whitty, Heather Angel and Richard Ney in "Night Must Fall" on Suspense—KIRO.
6.30—Premier! Mickey Rooney stars as reporter in new Shorty Bell series—KIRO.
8.00—Donald Buka is introduced by Edmun Gwenn on Star Preview—KOMO.

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Detective Mysteries—KVI.
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Theatre—KOMO, CJOR.
Music Professor—KJR.
Serenade—CJVI
Singing Stars of Tomorrow—CBR.
The Shadow—KVI.
Concert Pianist—CKWX.
2.30 — Theatre—KOMO, CJOR.
Hour of Charm—KIRO
Little Concert—CJVI
Countersuy KJR
News; J. Fisher—CBR.
Quick as a Flash—KVI.
Music Hall of Fame—CKWX.
3.00 — God's Country—KJR.
Electro-Watt Time—KOMO.
Family Hour—KIRO.
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Man and Me—CBR.
Foursquare—CJOR
Those Websters—KVI.
News—CKWX.
3.30 — Tone Portraits—KOMO.
Greatest Story—KJR.
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Six-room stucco bungalow. South of Oak Bay Avenue. Close to bus and shopping centre. Living-room with fireplace, through hall, guest-size dining-room. Oak floors. Wired for electric range. Hot-air heating. Separate garage. Full cement basement.

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Baseball Training Notes
NEW YORK (AP) — Eddie Stanky will make his first competitive appearance in a Boston Braves uniform today.

The second sacker, late of Brooklyn Dodgers, will start for the Braves "B" team against Kansas City Blues at Lake Wales, Fla.

Stanky was stricken with pneumonia the same day he was traded to Boston. He has been working out slowly the last week and has declared himself ready for action.

The question of whether Bob Chesnes, colorful rookie pitcher, will play with Pittsburgh this season remained open today. Chesnes, San Francisco star, had an elbow operation last fall and has been having trouble again. X-ray pictures showed an inflammation of the front bicep tendon.

Young Charles Comiskey, who one day will head Chicago White Sox, says, "Some changes are going to be made. If we can't do business with some of the other major league clubs, maybe we can find some Triple A players who are better than we have. We'll make some changes, and some of them may surprise you."

Carpet Bowling
Results of matches in the Capital City and Distict Carpet Bowling tournament follow:

Singles—R. McKenzie 21, J. Leiper 19, A. McMillan 21, W. Bolton 10.
Doubles—H. Bate and Mrs. Brien 21, J. House and Mrs. Cooper 10.
Triples—Colvin, A. Griffin and Pannell 23; Whittle, Sheppard and Greenslade 12.
Kiwanis Cup—Beadles (R. McKenzie, skip) 20, Sherwood (W. Colvin, skip) 17.
NEXT WEEK'S DRAW
Tuesday—Kiwanis Cup: Rangers vs. Friars. Mixed doubles: G. Cruickshank and Mrs. Griffin vs. Cooper and Mrs. House.
Wednesday, 7.30—Singles: R. McKenzie vs. W. Colvin; H. Bates vs. D. Drummond. 8.00—G. Merriman vs. J. Whittle; S. Mars vs. T. Bridges.
Thursday—Colvin, A. Griffin and Pannell vs. Cull, Thomas and Jenkins.
Friday—A. & N. Cup, Friars vs. Mt. Tolmie; triples, Bolton, Sheppard and Merriman vs. Williams, Drummond and Bridge.

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Indecision Rules Stock Market

NEW YORK (AP) — Post-holiday indecision ruled in today's stock market.

While assorted favorites managed to keep on the advancing side, many leaders stumbled.

Dealings were relatively slow and trends uneven near the close.

Boardrooms were more or less deserted by customers who elected to extend the Good Friday recess through the week-end.

Railway stocks inclined to slip in the wake of retroactive wage boost granted engineers, firemen and switchmen by a presidential emergency board.

Canadian stocks were mixed. Canadian Pacific added ⅛, Dome Mines yielded ¼ and McIntyre was unchanged.

On the curb, Yellowknife was up 1-16.

Dow Jones closing averages:

30 Industrials	**173.95**	**off .10**
20 Rails.	**52.51**	**off .28**
15 Utilities	**32.80**	**unchgd**
65 Stocks	**63.35**	**off .11**

Total sales, 430,000.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Close
Allied	180
American Can	81-7
American Tobacco B	57
American Smelter	56-3
American Tel. and Tel.	149-3
American Woolen	43-2
Anaconda Copper	34-6
Atchison Topeka	56-4
B. and O. Railway	11-3
Bethlehem Steel	34
C.P.R.	10-6
C. and O. Railway	41-2
Chrysler	89
Con. Edison	22-1
Com. and Southern	25
Curtiss Wright	6-1
Douglas Aircraft	62-6
Du Pont	172
Eastman Kodak	42-4
Erie R.R.	10-7
General Foods	36-2
General Electric	35-1
General Motors	53-1
Goodyear Tire	41-2
Great Northern	40-2
Int. Harvester	87-1
Int. Paper	49-1
Int. T. and T.	13
Int. Nickel	27-6
Johns-Manville	58-7
Kennecott Copper	50-6
Loews Theatre	17-2
Montgomery Ward	53-1
National Biscuit	28
New York Central	14
Norfolk Western	57-4
Northern Pacific	19-6
Pac. Gas Electric	31-1
Paramount Pub.	21-4
Pennsylvania Railway	18-1
Pepsi Cola	16-4
Proctor Gamble	64-4
Schenley Distillers	29-6
Standard Calif.	61-4
Standard Oil N.J.	74-4
Sears Roebuck	34-7
Socony	18-4
Southern Pacific	50-1
South. Calif. Edison	27-3
Southern Railway	38-6
Texas Corp.	56
Union Carbide	101-6
Union Pacific	165-4
United Aircraft	28
U.S. Steel	72-6
Hiram Walker-G. and W.	20-4
Westinghouse Electric	78-6
Woolworth	43-2

City Egg Prices

The following egg prices are now in effect:

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Counterfeit U.S. Money In Shanghai; San Francisco Sees It

SHANGHAI (AP)—A thriving business in counterfeit United States money is being done in Shanghai.

An American banker said the city ranks second to Germany as the world's largest market in bogus currency. A black market deals in it.

Those unable to get rid of counterfeit banknotes otherwise can trade them for legal currency. They take only a 50 per cent loss. Secret service agents have investigated the counterfeit market in China for two years. But they're still stumped as to the source of the money.

(In San Francisco, a secret service source said Friday thousands of dollars in nearly perfect counterfeit bills—$20s, $50s and $100s—had turned up there recently. Counterfeiting rings in the Orient were blamed. Most of the bills can't be detected from U.S. currency except by bank clerks trained to feel the difference in the paper.)

Shanghai financiers said the best guess is that much of the counterfeit money came from Germany—particularly the nearly perfect notes, difficult to detect.

They said the Nazis were reported to have taken expert forgers, engravers, artists and papermakers from concentration camps and set them to work on United States and British currency.

Grain

WINNIPEG (CP) — Oats and barley prices moved irregularly on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange today, advancing in early trading on small processing and shipper demand. Later this demand eased off a bit and prices receded from their early highs. Trading was dull.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

Rye—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	----	----	----	430
July	----	----	----	350-4
October	190	193-4	190	191
Barley—				
May	114-1	115-1	114-1	114-1
July	108-6	109-4	107-7	107-7
October	102-7	102-7	101-2	102-1
Oats—				
May	80-6	81	79-3	79-3
July	76-3	76-4	75-1	75-1
October	73-4	73-4	72-5	72-5

CHICAGO (AP)—A sharp advance in wheat carried the May contract up more than 6 cents at one time on the Board of Trade today. A downturn developed from that level, but prices held well above the previous close. Corn, oats and deferred wheat contracts also were firm.

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Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	241-6	247-4	241-2	246
July	228	233	228	232-2
September	225	229-6	225	229
December	225-4	230	225-4	229-2
Corn—				
May	216-4	220-2	216-4	220-2
July	206-2	209-6	206-2	209-6
September	196-2	199-6	196	199-2
December	165	166-4	165	166-4
Oats—				
May	109-5	111-1	109-4	111
July	91	92-1	91	92
September	83-4	85-3	83-4	85-2
December	83	84-2	83	84-2

Schoolboy Firebug

ELKHORN, Wis. (AP) — Charles Hoffman, 18-year-old high school boy who said he "got a thrill out of" watching leaping flames, admitted Friday he had set three fires to the East Troy high school. The blazes—all set within the last two weeks—caused damages estimated at $48,500 and left the 375 pupils without a schoolhouse.

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Rearmament Possibility Reflected In Stock Market

By CANADIAN PRESS

Commodity and stock markets this week exhibited decidedly better trends as exchanges in Canada and the United States reported an increasing number of investors turning to leading securities in the metals, motors, oils and steels.

An indication of the recovery is the advance of industrial securities listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange. In five trading days including last Thursday, the exchange's index showed industrials up 5.96. New York recorded a couple of high volume days during the week with trends strong.

FORESEE BIGGER SALES

Last week's gloomy outlook, engendered by increasing differences on the international front and spreading strikes in the domestic sphere, this week turned optimistic. Belief that some degree of rearmament soon will be initiated influenced accumulation of selected industrial securities, while the metals benefited substantially from anticipated government stockpiling.

In addition, the European Recovery Program with its first year's outlay of more than $5,000,000,000 was nearing realization and in Havana some 55 nations agreed on trade treaties, thereby promising further stabilization of international commerce.

Indication that the Canadian export drive into hard-currency countries is succeeding came from Ottawa in a report that exports to the United States in February were 37 per cent greater than in February last year, following a January increase of 32 per cent. Total Canadian exports to all countries in these two months were up 14.3 per cent.

With markets closed Friday for the Easter holidays, the Toronto Stock Exchange's statistics for the week Saturday to Thursday inclusive show industrials up 5.95 as compared with last week's drop of .67; golds down .20 (down 3.33); base metals up 3.56 (down 1.03); western oils down .4 (up .72). Volume for the five days was 3,624,000 shares.

Montreal reported volume of 902,641 shares. Banks were off .62; utilities up 1.2 (off 1.0 last week); industrials up 4.1 (off 2.4); combined up 3.1 (off 1.9); papers up 13.15 (off 5.18); golds off .2 (off 1.73).

Bogota Prepares For Opening Of Pan-American Conference

BOGOTA, Colombia (AP)—Bogota is applying final hurried touches prior to the biggest event in its 400-year history — the ninth international conference of American states, which will open next Tuesday.

Better known as the Pan-American Conference, it is the first full-dress meeting of the western hemisphere republics since the Lima gathering in 1938.

At Bogota, the 21 countries which make up the Pan-American Union hope to mold their system of co-ordination and co-operation into a new structure which fits the needs of modern politics.

While Canada always has been assured of the 22nd seat among the western hemisphere powers should she choose, she has not yet become a member of the Pan-American Union.

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In addition, the conference will offer the first definite opportunity to make use of the United Nations' Charter insofar as it refers to the organization of regional systems within the international structure established at the San Francisco conference.

To Great Britain and other custodians of colonial territory in the western hemisphere the newly raised outcry against colonialism makes the conference of singular importance.

The conference is likely to be an outlet for forceful expression of Latin America's old desire for economic independence.

Generally, Latin - American economy is based on its role of supplier of raw materials for the great industrial countries, sore point for many a Latin-American patriot.

The United States' aid-for-Europe project, as embodied in the Marshall Plan, worries some Latin-American Republics which fear it means further postponement of industrial development. The United States is their only source of machinery and capital goods and they want assurances that shipments will continue to Latin America despite Marshall Plan commitments.

CENTURY OF DISCUSSION

For more than 100 years the American republics have discussed colonialism in the western hemisphere, but in recent months the issue became front page news. The problem was brought to the fore just in time for an airing at the conference when Britain sent the cruiser Nigeria to "show the flag" in the Falkland Islands.

Argentina and Chile both proclaimed their sovereignty over Antarctic regions, sending warships to the disputed land of ice and snow.

The diplomatic war over the Antarctic is expected to come before the Pan-American conference with Chile asking the assembly of the American countries to apply the pact of mutual defence, signed last year at the Rio de Janiero conference. Argentina and Chile have made clear they consider the Antarctic territories within the zone which the pact is designed to protect against aggression.

$392,900 Profit For Roofing Firm

Annual report to shareholders of the Sidney Roofing and Paper Co. Ltd. and subsidiaries shows consolidated profits of $392,900 after $56,790 was taken for depreciation.

The report, made public by R. W. Mayhew, company president, states $33,750 was paid as dividends to Class A shareholders and $174,400 was provided for income and excess profits taxes.

The balance, amounting to $184,750 and equal to $1.85 a share on the company's outstanding Class B shares, was retained in the business for modernization, expansion and increased working capital requirements.

Sales reached an all-time high during the year, the report states, and:

"These gratifying results have been achieved despite rising costs of materials, labor and supplies, together with the considerable extra operating costs attendant upon the bringing into production of new plant and equipment."

The report continues:

"Demand for our products continued at a high level and sales of established lines were expanded to include several new nationally established products."

Employees received wage increases during the year bringing the payroll to over $777,000.

Tourist Car Entered

C. S. Brown, a tourist from Portland, informed city police Friday night his car had been broken into and articles taken while the car was parked outside the Empress Hotel between 6 and 8.30 p.m.

A blue canvass traveling bag, containing brown sports jacket, shaving gear and two U.S. Navy epaulettes, belonging to Mr. Brown, and a brown leather suitcase, containing a white shirt and some underwear, the property of N. F. Carrigge, another visitor from Portland, were stolen.

Total value of the missing articles was given by the owners as $110.

Pakistan, Russia Trade

MOSCOW (AP) — Tass News Agency, in a dispatch carried by three Moscow newspapers, said today Russian foreign trade organizations had bought several lots of cotton from Pakistan, Moslem dominion on the Indian subcontinent. The story, from New Delhi, said the first freighters with Pakistan cotton as cargo already were en route to Russia.

Canadian Bonds

(By Investment Dealers' Association)

Dominion of Canada—		
VL 1 3 1961	103.40	104½
VL 2 3 1964	103.60	104.65
VL 3 3 1966	102.00	104¼
VL 4 3 1957	101⅝	102⅝
VL 5 3 1959	100⅝	101⅝
VL 6 3 1960	100⅛	101½
VL 7 3 1962	100.00	101.00
VL 8 3 1963	99⅝	100⅝
VL 9 3 1966	99⅝	100⅝
2¾ 1966	101⅛	102⅝
3¼ 1952	102.15	104.20
3¼ 1953	102.15	104.20
3 Perp.	98⅝	99⅝
Dominion Guarantees—		
C.N.R. 2¾ 1967	95½	96⅝
Do. 3 1949	100⅛	101⅛
Do. 4½ 1956	118⅝	----
Do. 5 1954	112⅝	114.00
Do. 5 1969	108⅝	----
Provincial Securities—		
British Columbia 2¾ 1967	92½	92⅝
Do. 3 1960	97½	----
Do 3½ 1956	102.00	----
Do. 5 1963	107½	110½
Alberta 3½ 1970	99½	----
Saskatchewan 2 1963	89⅛	92½
Do. 3¾ 1962	91⅛	94½
Do. 4 1960	99	101⅛
Do. 5 1958	105½	108⅛
Do. 6 1952	105	108
Manitoba 2¾ 1966	93	95½
Do. 4 1959	101⅝	----
Do. 4½ 1956	115⅛	----
Do. 5½ 1958	117½	----
Ontario 2¾ 1975	92½	94½
Quebec 3 1962	98½	100½
New Brunswick 2¾ 1968	90	92½
Nova Scotia 3 1956	99	101
Municipal Securities—		
City Vancouver 3 1967	92½	95⅛
Do. 4 1968	x103⅛	----
Do. 5 1965	113	----
City Victoria 3¾ 1962	97½	100½
Van. Water Dis. 2¾ 1967	92½	----
Do. 3¾ 1964	103⅝	----
Do. 4 1957	103⅝	----

Marine

Navy Announces Promotion Of Three Seamen From B.C.

Promotion of three B.C. men, two of them from Victoria, is announced today by Naval Service Headquarters, Ottawa in the Royal Canadian Navy's list of advancements on the lower deck.

They are: Ldg. SA. Kenneth A. Perry, Victoria, promoted to stores petty officer steward, and AB. Manfred A. Freeman, Mission City, promoted to acting leading seaman.

PO. Perry was born in Vancouver March 22, 1920. Formerly a lifeguard, he joined the R.C.N. as a stoker in September, 1920, and two months later transferred to the stores branch. He served in various ships and establishments as a supply assistant, including the corvette H.M.C.S. Edmunston and the anti-aircraft cruiser H.M.C.S. Prince Henry.

In January, 1942, he was advanced to leading stores assistant and served in the destroyer H.M.C.S. Iroquois, and at the R.C.N. establishment in Bermuda, Somers Isles. In October, 1945, he was drafted to the aircraft carrier Warrior. He returned to civilian life for about 10 months in 1946, re-enlisting in March, 1947. He is now in the cruiser Ontario, presently on a training cruise in southern waters. He is married and lives at 1562 Clawthorpe Avenue.

PO. Ballard was born in Calgary on Feb. 5, 1915. He served in the R.C.N.V.R. for three and a half years before transferring to the R.C.N. in May, 1944, in the rating of leading steward. Serving in H.M.C.S. Naden at the time of his transfer, he was later drafted to H.M.C.S. Peregrine at Halifax and from there to H.M.C.S. Niobe in the United Kingdom, in January, 1945.

In February of that year he went to the Tribal class destroyer H.M.C.S. Iroquois. November, 1945 found him in H.M.C.S. Givenchy, Esquimalt, followed by short spells of duty in the cruisers Ontario and Uganda. He is now serving in the destroyer H.M.C.S. Crescent, on the training cruise with Ontario.

Leading Seaman Freeman was born Oct. 27, 1924, in Lethbridge. He joined the R.C.N.V.R. in 1943, serving in a number of ships and establishments with the R.C.N. In 1945, he transferred to the R.C.N. as an able seaman in the frigate H.M.C.S. Coppercliffe. In September, 1945, he was drafted to H.M.C.S. Naden at Esquimalt and later to Crescent. After a spell of duty in the cruiser Ontario, he went to Naden, his present post.

Yarrows Hope For New Contracts Now Steel Available

With more steel for shipbuilding expected to be available soon, Yarrows Ltd. are now checking up on tenders submitted by the company on new ships in various parts of the world, according to a report by H. A. Wallace, Yarrows vice-president and managing director, appearing in the Yarrows Ltd. Bulletin.

Mr. Wallace said the lack of steel in Canada for new shipbuilding had been Yarrows' biggest difficulty, but that now the company is hopeful new contracts will follow.

C. Wallace, of Burrard Drydock Co. Ltd. and Yarrows, is at present in the United Kingdom studying the shipbuilding situation there and will later proceed to the European continent in search of shipbuilding contracts with the Scandinavian and other European countries.

Designing and building of the C.N.R.'s coast passenger vessel Prince George had been no small undertaking for Yarrows because of the difficulty of getting adequate supplies of materials and the rising costs of material and labor, according to the Yarrows' managing director.

He urged Yarrows' workers to give their full efforts to completing the ship in time for scheduled delivery, which has been set for around the end of this month.

Requests for passages on the Prince George for the summer are very heavy, in addition to requests by many organizations to charter the vessel for cruises before and after the regular summer schedule.

Board Urges Raise To U.S. Railwaymen

WASHINGTON (AP)—A presidential emergency board recommended today that locomotive engineers, firemen and switchmen in the United States should get a wage raise of 15½ cents an hour, retroactive to Nov. 1.

One Woman's Day

By NANCY HODGES

VOTES AND AGE

I COULD HARDLY believe my ears when I heard that there are in British Columbia some thousands of men and women who would rather risk losing their franchise than giving their ages to the deputy registrars of voters.

And that this refusal is likely to lead to the abolition of the central registry which was set up last year to correct some of the inaccuracies that had existed in provincial electoral lists.

Under the new system, residents in all parts of the province are being canvassed in order that those not already on the lists may be added, and that in cases of duplication or death the names may be removed from the list.

LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

IT HAS BEEN SAID that the Provincial government cannot legally require a person to give his or her age for this purpose, although the date of birth was only being sought as a further identification.

Take a name like William or Mary Smith, for instance. There are hundreds of them. And when people move as frequently as they do in these days of housing trouble, there is less risk of duplication of the entry on the voters' list if the respective ages are known.

However, I am not here to defend the legality or otherwise of a system which was introduced only after months and months of public hearings by a special committee composed of representatives of all parties in the Legislature.

PSYCHOLOGICAL ASPECT

THE THING WHICH has intrigued me the most about the committee's hearings is the revelation that there are so many people reluctant to disclose their age.

And that they carry their reluctance to such a point that they would rather give up their right to vote than tell an official how old they are!

I know that in the eyes of many people I am an oddity, but one of my pet peculiarities is a belief that the date of your birth is nothing to be ashamed of.

NOT RESPONSIBLE

AFTER ALL, NONE of us can be held responsible for when—or where—we were born. That reminds me of the foolish story about the Scot and the Irishman who were discussing their respective birthplaces.

Pat revealed that he was born in Dublin and Sandy claimed Glasgow as his birthplace. "Whatever were you born in Glasgow for?" asked Pat. Sandy scratched his head, then replied: "Oh, just to be near my mother." Which, after all, is as good a reason as any.

And to none of us is given the choice when we shall be born, and none of us can stay the years which, as Yeats said, "like great black oxen tread the world, and God, the herdsman, goads them on behind."

MEET WITH GRACE

THAT'S WHY AGE is something to which kings and queens, as well as commoners, inevitably come. So why try to "kid" ourselves or others by pretending to less years than we have spanned?

Of course, all of those who refused to give their age on the grounds that, as they told the deputy registrars, "it is none of your d— business," may not have been old.

In which case it is even more surprising, to me, that they should be ready to risk losing their vote for such a seemingly trivial reason. But perhaps it is just another manifestation of the independent spirit of true democracy.

One Mine A Day Sighted On Coast

Derelict mines are being sighted off the coasts of Vancouver Island, and Washington and Oregon on the average of one a day, it was reported today.

Royal Canadian Navy officials said the naval tug Heatherton is now in search of a floating mine reported about 18 miles south-southwest of Amphitrite Point on the Island coast.

A second mine, reported 13 miles off Tillamook Head is being sought by the U.S. Coast Guard, which said Friday that two mines reported Thursday increased the total number of mines sighted off the Washington-Oregon coast to 25 for the first 25 days of March. Only two were seen in February, 10 in January. Ten of the Japanese mines seen this month have been destroyed.

Holland-America Orders New Ship

Holland-America Line has placed an order in the Wilton-Feyenoord shipyard, in Schiedam, near Rotterdam, for a new vessel for the North Pacific coast service, according to advice received here today by Geo. Paulin Ltd., agents for Holland-America.

The steamship, to be named Diemerdyk, will be 10,000 tons gross, and will have accommodation for 50 passengers as well as large refrigerator capacity. She is expected to enter the Pacific coast service next year.

Mv. Damsterdyk, prewar flagship of the service, which was recovered in damaged condition in Hamburg upon conclusion of the war, is now being entirely reconditioned in Rotterdam. New diesel engines, as well as accommodation for 40 passengers.

With completion of these two vessels, the prewar service of four D-type vessels will be restored, the other two vessels being Mv. Delftdyk and Ss. Duivendyk, both of which have already called at this port.

Since 1920 and until the outbreak of the war, the Holland-America Line and Royal Mail Lines, for which Geo. Paulin Ltd. is also agent, operated a joint service which, it is expected, will be re-established as soon as conditions permit.

New Salvage Attempt On Sunken Freighter

SEATTLE (AP)—New salvage operations are under way to recover more canned salmon from the wreck of the freighter Diamond Knot in Crescent Bay off Port Angeles.

Insurance underwriters abandoned the vessel's cargo after large-scale salvage operations ended. Now Al Abrahamsen and James Colby, deep-sea divers in the previous operation, are engaged in a new salvage project.

The divers are operating from the power scow Rudakoff and are bringing up salmon in large wire cages. Siphons were used in the previous operation, which was directed by Walter Martignoni of San Francisco. The first effort recovered 70 per cent of the $3,500,000 cargo of 154,000 cases of salmon.

The Diamond Knot sank Aug. 13 after a collision.

Light Extinguished

Mariners are advised the lighted buoy of Repulse Point, Baynes Sound, is reported extinguished, according to a notice to mariners issued by W. L. Stamford, agent for the Department of Transport.

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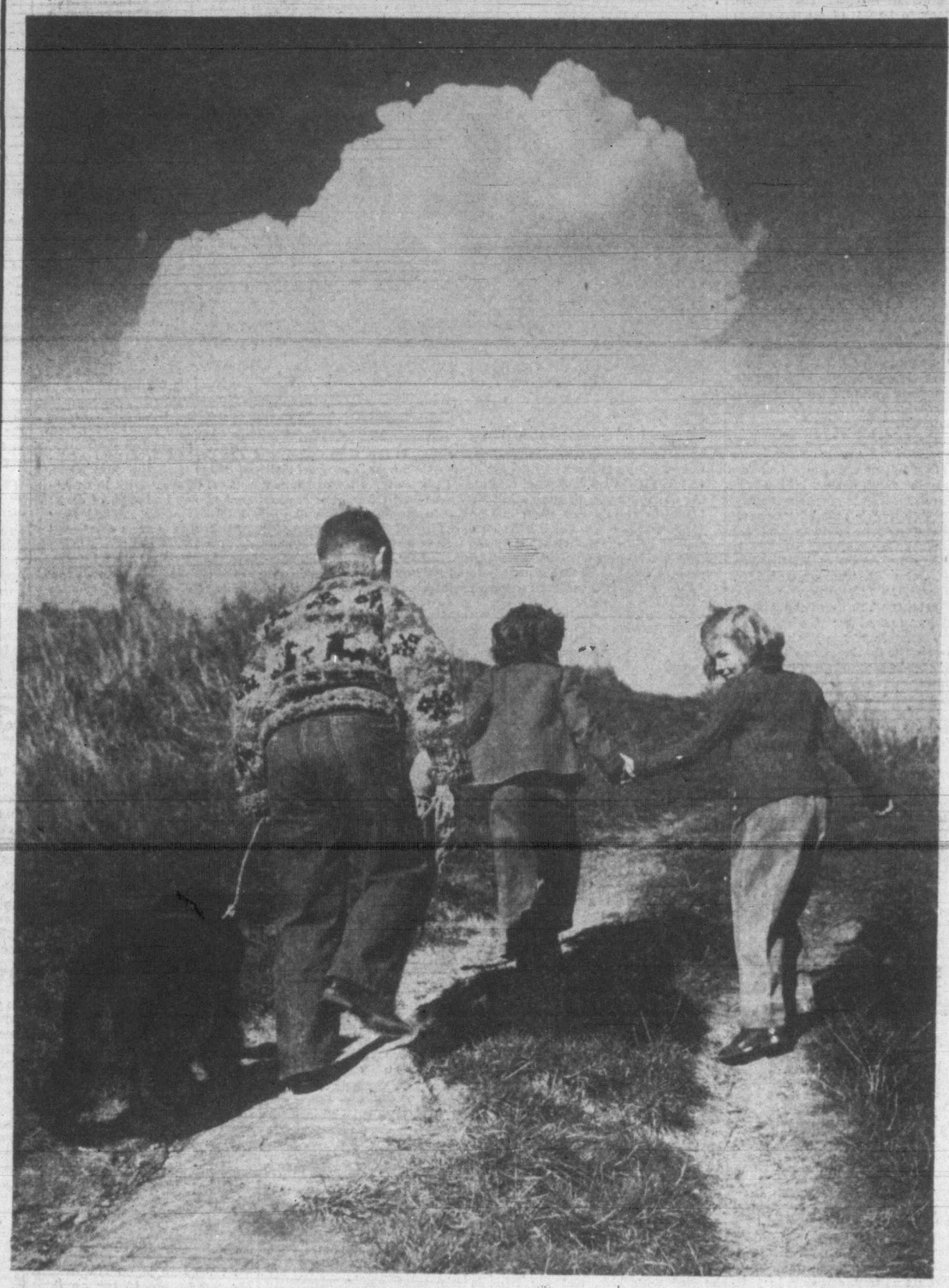

Children in the picture, taken by Irving Strickland, Times staff photographer, are Arthur, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Roberts, 2269 West Thompson Avenue, with Mona and small Lynne, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. A. McConnell, Transit Road. Arthur and Mona attend primary classes at Willows School.

EASTER, 1948

"He prayeth best who loveth best
All things both great and small;
For the dear God who loveth us,
He made and loveth all."
—Coleridge.

In the simple beauty of a verse
learned in childhood days,
we find the promise
of a faith without which
the peace and unity of the
world becomes little more than
an idealistic dream!

Music And Drama

By AUDREY ST.D. JOHNSON

THIS week, in all parts of the Christian world, Easter music will be pre-eminent in church and concert hall. Which is the same thing as saying that Easter week will provide a world-wide festival of the most fabulous music, for composers, like painters and sculptors of the past, have been spurred to the finest expressions of their art by religious exhaltation.

One has only to think of Bach, Handel, Mozart, to realize that they touched the very heart of their genius in the music that sprang from their religion. Recall the Beethoven "Missa Solemnis," the Bach B minor Mass and the "Passions," the Mozart and Brahm's requiems.

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There is a certain significance to be found in that phrase—"of the past." Today's artists and composers, with very few exceptions, do not find their finest inspiration in religion. It seems—though the statement is open to challenge—that we have reached a materialistic age and nowhere is it more apparent than in the creative arts.

Poetry began its move toward ashcans, tenements and machines with the 20th century and late 19th century poets. Men and machines and daily life have been the subjects of a great deal of modern music while our painters have been mainly divided between expressing the most humdrum, rugged aspects of life in techniques suitably rough and ready to convey the observation; or the involved, often painful, occasionally interest abstract manifestations of psychological phenomena.

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THIS is not intended to be a wholesale condemnation of modern art and music. So much of it has a grandeur and simplicity, an originality and fresh vitality that sets the purses tingling and stimulates thought. Besides, the modern idiom in creative endeavor is a part of the process of evolution, an inevitable stage of development, consonant with the whole tone of our civilization.

So many aspects of life today are thrilling or absorbing that religion does not mean to us what it meant to Bach and Handel or to Da Vinci and Raphael. Subsciously we take comfort from it; we know that it is there and accept it matter-of-factly, as an essential ingredient of life and death, but we seldom turn to it for our principal and highest source of inspiration.

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RAYMOND CHANDLER in the March "Atlantic" makes a sweeping indictment of all modern arts which I am certain will not go unchallenged. He throws sculpture and literature aside with a wave of contempt; describes painting, music and architecture as considerably less than second class compared with the finest products of the past; statements which are too all-damning not to be strongly debatable. But if the criticism could be proved, still another debatable point arises: Could the descent from spiritual levels of inspiration be responsible? The acceptance of the Machine rather than the God?

However the argument goes, the fact remains that we have today only the great music of the past with which, fittingly, to celebrate our most beautiful religious festivals.

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SOME of the most glorious pages in all music relate to the Lenten-Easter season and occur throughout the two Passions by Bach: the St. John and the St. Matthews. Two 19th century musicians and historians have summed up this music most eloquently.

"Bach illustrates the story of the scripture, embroidering the soul-stirring episode with tears, and painting now in sombre now in lurid hues the colors of fire and blood," wrote Andre Pirro.

Of the "St. Matthew Passion," Dr. William G. Whittaker has this to say: "Devotion, humility and adoration reach their highest intensity in this music. It is the most intensely personal document in the whole range of musical art; it stands above creeds and beliefs and speaks from heart to heart in the most miraculous manner."

The "St. John," which was composed five years before the "St. Matthews," is the more theatrical of the two. It has sweeping climaxes and is heavily impregnated with stirring drama, but it also has many moments of brooding tenderness and grave meditation rising to unscalable heights of poignant beauty in the final page of the last chorale.

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Generally conceded to be the finer because of its greater spiritual qualities, the "St. Matthew" Passion was still theatrical enough to throw its German Protestant congregation into a state of consternation at its first performance at Leipzig's St. Thomas Church on Good Friday, 1729. One old lady was heard to gasp: "God help us! 'Tis surely an opera-comedy!"

Actually there is profound contemplation, great reverence and lyric beauty in this work but we must remember that there was a severe simplicity about the Lutheran religion that caused Bach to be hailed on the carpet by the Municipality of Arnstadt, when he was a youthful organist in the church there, for playing over-florid and disconcerting accompaniments to the hymns.

Although when heard, it appears to flow along with a simplicity that is in itself, noble, the manner of its performance is most elaborate, demanding double choir, double orchestra and a full range of soloists.

This week in Toronto, a full performance was given in Convocation Hall at the University of Toronto by the Mendelssohn Choir. It was under the direction of Sir Ernest MacMillan who had assembled a choir of more than 200 voices, a symphony orchestra, organ and soloists. This magnificent project had the full co-operation of CBC and for the first time in North America, the complete performance, lasting three hours, was broadcast coast to coast.

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WHEN we speak of carols we think of Christmas and few people realize that there are carols, all of great antiquity, written to celebrate every one of the Christian festivals and the central figures of the Faith. There are carols of St. Stephen, St. John, St. Thomas, the New Year, the Epiphany, to the Virgin, the Trinity of the Annunciation and of the Passion.

These last are the Easter carols, and there are literally hundreds, most of them preserved purely as relics of the past. They are naive, direct and often exquisitely lyrical in character; the devoted, unschooled utterances of simple hearts, they were the first religious songs sung in tongues other than Latin, and were usually accompanied by dancing rounds from which the word "carol" itself springs.

Hymns are in no way related to carols outside their religious significance. The hymn was the scholarly product, even in the earliest times, of monks and priests. The oldest Eastern hymn known to us dates back to the fourth century and was written by St. Ambrose about the year 340, but it is stilted and dogmatic in comparison with the spontaneous expression of the carols.

History's Greatest Drama

Most soul-stirring scene in the Passion Play is the Crucifixion and the descent from the cross. Christ's body is lowered into the arms of John as the grief-stricken Mary and the Magdalene watch. For many centuries, millions of people have found stirring renewal of their faith in watching the unfolding of the greatest drama of all times—the re-enactment of the last days of Jesus Christ in The Passion Play. The United States now claims the oldest of the many Passion Play groups. This is the Black Hills Passion Play of the little town of Spearfish, S.D. It was originated in 1242 in Luenen, Germany, by the monks of Cappenburg Monastery. Thus it is 400 years older than the famous Oberammergau play. Led by Joseph Meier, who plays the Christus, the Luennen players fled the hostile atmosphere of Hitler's Germany and came to the U.S. in 1933. Meier is the seventh generation of his family to play the Christus role.

Nature Talks

By ROBERT CONNELL

THIS MORNING I went to pick up some pieces of orange peel that had been tossed on the garden grass. To my surprise I found five small grey slugs busily feeding on this foreign product. And then I recalled what happened at a Boy Scout camp at Goldstream in 1912. We had brought out among our various types of food a case of oranges. On our first morning we found on going into the tented storeroom a number of the large native slugs clinging to the orange case and nibbling at the golden skins where they were accessible. Consequently we had to take steps to put the oranges beyond their reach; the troop soon solved that problem.

ROBERT CONNELL

Slugs like worms have a sense of smell as well as of taste, and they resemble ourselves generally in this at least that the odor of the orange greatly attracts them. Living here where there are no oranges grown, and no native ones even in California, and where there is no other plant or fruit that has a similar odor or taste, the native slug, like his domesticated relative recognizes the orange from the first as good in spite of its sharpness. This is a rather curious fact.

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THE SLUGS HAVE a number of interesting relatives in the water, so that one passes quite naturally from slugs in the garden to the dwellers in the sea by way of the shelled land snails and the water snails of our ponds. Their near relatives in the sea are whelks, periwinkles, limpets, bubble-shells, chitons, sea-slugs, and sea-lemons.

Looking into the clear waters of several rockpools the other day I could see several of these marine creatures attached to the rocky bottom, across which here and there a hermit-crab scuttled off with his awkwardly situated house, originally the home of a slug relative. The chitons were securely anchored and somewhat camouflaged by the grey sand and so too were the acorn barnacles in their particular anchorage. The pools were fringed with seaweed but its color was hidden by the same grey material. Actually this "sand" is chiefly made up of microscopic plants, diatoms, etc., that thus obscure the brighter colors of many marine creatures and their habitations.

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THE CLAY BANKS that rise above the headlands of rock so prevalent around our coast are now coming to life with some of our earlier flowers, the little silvery-leafed lupines are now opening out their fingered leaves and their blue flowers will soon be budding. Along the higher part of the golden sanicle is daily becoming more a thing of beauty. Its yellow and bronze leaves, thrice divided and sharply toothed, cluster about the little round flower heads of which the central one now looks like a tiny golden cabbage. A typical plant has five of these heads, the largest being in the center, and each head again has other still minuter ones at its base. The upper leaves are as yellow as the flower clusters.

Along the top of the bank the common native buttercup grows freely, making masses of dark green foliage. At one spot I came across the first buttercup flower of the season. The usual time for the flowers to be out in numbers is towards the middle of April, from the 11th to the 14th. Higher up the rocks are growing more colorful although there are as yet no flowers. The thick fleshy leaves and stems of the broad-leaved stonecrop are taking on a vivid red tint, while those of the cylindrical-leaved one are more purplish. Patches of leaves, each patch with its peculiar pattern and even tint of green, show where shortly an abundance of flowers will be taking the spring air. Conspicuous are the slender, grass-like dark green leaves of the satin-flower, shining brightly against the reddish grey rock.

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A SMALL BAY between two rocky headlands gives an interesting view of the sea from which we have never been far distant. It is a typical March day. Sky of the deepest blue is broken by great wind-driven wisplike masses of clouds of various hues from pure white illuminated by the brilliant sunshine to grey and purple. Almost overhead in one patch of blue rides the faint figure of the new moon. The sea is partly yellowish green and partly purplish blue, and all its surface is broken by ragged waves. The southwest wind comes icily in by the Straits of Juan de Fuca from the Pacific and with its gusts whirls the gulls about or sends them swiftly eastward on outstretched wings. Over against the rocks on the left are some picturesquely interesting ducks. Two harlequin drakes accompany a single duck and one surf scooter accompanies a pair of ducks. The characteristic markings of the male birds are shown very strikingly. It is very interesting to watch them swim out from the protected waters to the rougher sea outside, moving quickly and with very little apparent difficulty against wind and ruffled sea. Nearby a pair of scaups also move from the vicinity of man, preferring the troubled waves to his uncertain company.

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ON THE BANKS of this bay there is apparently more water, for the first green leaves of the Siberian montia or springbeauty are wide-spread at the foot of the slope next to the beach. But the thickets above show as yet little sign of spring. The wild rose stems are reddening and the little buds enlarging. The snowberry is putting forth its paired tiny grey-green leaves. The osoberry is well in leaf and flower, and the salmonberry buds, both leaf and flower, show signs of quickened growth. The poison hemlock now exhibits a pretty pattern of ferny leaves, flat on the ground. The nettle has clusters of young foliage in green and brown tints and just ready for use as a vegetable. Everywhere life and growth and beauty.

'Of Cabbages and Kings'

By PETER ELIOT

T. E. LAWRENCE, the famous Lawrence of Arabia, is well portrayed by various hands—a host of his friends and acquaintances—in a fascinating volue, **T. E. Lawrence, by his friends.**

"He was crossing (writes Fareedeh El Akle, who knew him in the Middle East) one of the wild mountains up north when he was met by a huge cruel-looking Turk. Instantly the Turk took up his gun, aimed, and shot at Lawrence, but missed him. This made the giant furious and Lawrence, in order to frighten the man, also took his revolver, aimed at the little finger of the giant—for he never intended to kill him—and shot so accurately that the bullet passed close to the hand, wounding slightly the little finger. The giant stood spell-bound, quick to see that one who could handle a revolver so cleverly was not to be despised. Meanwhile, Lawrence had come up to him, and taking his handkerchief out of his pocket bandaged the wounded finger and patted his adversary on the back to show his goodwill, for neither could speak the language of the other. Then Lawrence shared the little money he had with him, and the two went down the mountains together as friends."

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The author, Robert Graves, continues—

"He behaved very much like an undergraduate at times. One day I happened to go up to the top of the Radcliffe Camera and looked down on the roofs of the neighboring colleges. From a pinnacle of All Sours, a small crimson Hejaz flag was fluttering: Lawrence had been a famous roof-climber when he was up at Jesus College before the War. He told me two or three of his schemes for brightening All Souls and Oxford generally. One was for improving the turf in the quadrangle, which he said was in a disgraceful condition, nearly rotting away he had suggested at a college meeting that it should be manured or treated in some way or other, but no action had been taken. He now said that he was going to plant mushrooms on it, so that they would have to re-turf it altogther. He consulted a mushroom expert in town, but found that it was difficult to make spawn grow. He would have persisted if he had not been called away about this time to help Winston Churchill with the Middle-Eastern settlement."

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"ANOTHER scheme in which I was to have helped was to steal the Magdalen College deer. He was going to drive them into the small inner quadrangle of All Souls, having persuaded the college to reply, when Magdalen protested and asked for its deer back, that it was the All Souls herd and had been pastured there from time immemorial. Great things were expected of this raid. It fell through for the same reason as the other. But a successful strike of college servants for better pay and hours was engineered by Lawrence. Lawrence also proposed to present the college with a peacock which, once accepted, would be found to bear the name Nathaniel—after Lord Curzon, with whom Lawrence had had a row and who was vice-chancellor of the university."

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"HIS rooms were dark and oak-paneled. A large table and a desk were the principal furniture. There were also two heavy leather chairs, simply acquired. An American oil-financier had come in suddenly one day when I was there and said: 'I am here from the States, Colonel Lawrence, to ask you a single question. You are the only man who will answer it honestly. Do Middle-Eastern conditions justify my putting any money in South Arabian oil?' Lawrence, without rising, simply answered: 'No.' 'That's all I wanted to know it was worth coming for that. Thank you and good day!' In his brief glance about the room he had found something missing; on his way home through London he chose the chairs and had them sent to Lawrence with his card."

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"TWO great Oxford scholars, called Liddell and Scott, worked for 25 years and produced what is still the world's standard Greek dictionary, then Scott died. As time passed and the users of the book now and then drew the university's attention to a misprint or error in the book, Liddell used to sigh and shake his head, 'Ah yes—poor Scott, still it may have been mine!'"

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BOOK readers will be interested to know that the **Reprint Society of Canada** is attempting something which, though novel, is badly needed in the present world of letters. Books are mainly chosen now, not on their own merits, but because of a high pressure advertising campaign. While many books of real worth find their way into book club monopoly lists, many more of no value at all are sold because of lewd or sensational titles, or of some peculiarity of the author's—promises of better things to come in the pages that follow. The **society's** choice of **Yes, Farewell,** by Michael Burn (a war novel written while the author was a prisoner of war) reminds me of a good illustration of this point. The society had requested information about him and he answered:

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SIR,—You asked me for a photograph and some autobiographical details. Allow me instead to send you the reasons why I am not giving them to you. . . . For some years publishers had a habit of including with their publications a photograph of the author, posed to make him look glamorous, if possible, and if impossible, then discerning, prophetic, or at least interesting. Sometimes he is shown contemplative and looking downwards, sometimes reaching for the stars and looking upwards, sometimes as a Bohemian in the old style and "different," sometimes as an "ordinary man" with a pipe, just like any of his readers. The photograph is intended as a poster to lure people on into the book.

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Accompanying it are usually notes about the author's life, explaining that he supports this or that cause, leads an unpretentious existence, has a cottage in the country, and played a noble part in the war. These details like obituary notices in respectable newspapers, are selected to cast a kind of nobler aureole round the author and therefore give an incomplete and false picture of him.

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. . . There is no reason why the author should say anything about it himself. It will all come out in his books, if they are real books, sooner or later. People should buy the book and not the author; and if they want to know more about the author, then they should continue to buy his books. If he continues to baffle them and they are quite determined, then they can always outlive him and write his biography, in the romantic manner, entitled "X: the Man," or "The Caged Tiger: the real Life of X," thereby turning into authors themselves; and then you will have to ask them the same request as you ask of me, and which I decline for these reasons, and they will have to make up their own minds.

Yours faithfully,
MICHAEL BURN.

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"'I have,' G. B. S. has written, 'no trace in me of the commercially important North Spanish strain which passes for aboriginal Irish: I am a genuine typical Irishman of the Danish, Norman, Cromwellian and (of course) Scotch invasions. I am violently and arrogantly Protestant by family tradition; but let no English government therefore count on my allegiance; I am English enough to be an inveterate Republican and Home Ruler. It is true that my grandfather was an Orangeman; but then his sister was an abbess, and his uncle, I am proud to say, was hanged as a rebel.'"

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Gilbert could never see eye-to-eye with people who considered that their proper place was in the centre of the stage, and when a lady who was rehearsing the part of Josephine in "Pinafore" pointed out that she had always occupied that position in the Italian Opera, he remarked:

"Unfortunately this is not Italian Opera, but only a low burlesque of the worst possible kind."

The Bookstand

By AILEEN CAMPBELL

Browsing At The Public Library

READERS AT THE Public Library who are trying to keep up with the newest books out are greeting several non-fiction books enthusiastically this week, including T. A. and Julian Huxley's **Touchstone of Ethics.**

Those souls who do not keep up with the latest books and find themselves reading the 1942 book of the year in 1948 are enjoying for the first time or perhaps re-reading such all-time fiction values as Winnifred Holtby's memorable **South Riding.**

Remember the story of the English town council in Yorkshire, the wonderfully etched characters of the councilmen and the townspeople affected by the council's actions.

Made into a motion picture in the late 30's and starring Sir Ralph Richardson and Edna Best, **South Riding** was one of the finest movies to come out of England.

Of the new non-fiction in demand at the Library the Huxley book is leading the list. They have collaborated on a work which considers the tasks and responsibilities involved in re-orientation of German and Japanese cultures. Question of the methods best employed in replacing fascism with liberalism is discussed.

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ALSO ENJOYING popularity is William Addison's **English Country Parson,** a delightful book concerning the past and present of the English Church. Although the book is quite amusing, Mr. Addison manages to convey seriously that the English Church is involved in the English national character, and neglecting the church imperils a very basic part of our culture.

A local author, Aubrey Bell, presents a critical study of the works of Cervantes. Mr. Bell is one of the world's leading authorities on Spanish literature and commemorates Cervantes' 400th anniversary, with this recent work.

LIBRARY LEADERS

David Spencer Ltd.: "The Professor's Umbrella," by Mary Jane Ward; "Stronghold," by Donald Barr Chidsey and "Call for the Saint," (mystery) by Leslie Charteris.

Diggon - Hibben Ltd.: "All Points South," by Oden and Olivia Meeker; "The Black Sail," by Florence Bennett Anderson, and "The Trial of Alvin Boaker," by Joan Reywall.

Bett's Bookshop: "Immortal Helen," by Elizabeth Corbett; "King Cotton," by Thomas Armstrong and "Prematurely Gay," by Jack Iams.

Marionette Library: "Sarah Binks," by P. G. Hieber; "Cache Lake Country," by John Rowlands, and "Murder '97," by Frank Gruber.

STORY OF ST. JOAN

"The Saint and the Devil," by Frances Winwar.

THE AGELESS STORY of Joan of Arc, the Maid of Orleans, is told once again with beauty and sincerity by Frances Winwar in **"The Saint and the Devil"** which she has called a biographical study in good and evil.

This is the seventh of Miss Winwar's biographical works and follows on the success of her study of George Sand in **"The Life and the Heart."** She tells the story of the maid of Domremy, a girl of 16, who following the visitations from the Saints, "voices from God," carries out her mission to have the Dauphin, later Charles VII, proclaimed the rightful King of France.

Throughout Joan's battles was her constant aid Gilles de Rais, the handsome, morally corrupt nobleman, "a decadent before his time. Together they had fought for France." Yet both were burned at the stake; Joan after months of imprisonment in 1431, at the marketplace of Rouen and de Rais nearly 10 years later at Nantes. De Rais, however, was hung before the fires could consume him.

Both were charged with heresy and sorcery. Joan by the English who had captured her in battle and de Rais by the French. The factual descriptions of the Inquisition and method of trial in the 15th century are gripping and revealing of the times.

When Joan had persuaded the Dauphin of the truth of her tales of the "voices from Heaven," who commanded her, she clothed herself in armor, cut short her hair and began her triumphant raising of the siege of Orleans, after which the Dauphin was crowned King at Reims.

Miss Winwar has written an absorbing and compelling narrative of the Warrior Maid. There is freshness and beauty in her prose and a simplicity of interpretation that only serves to add to the stature of the work.

Among the books on travel once again making their appearance after the long, hard winter of war is W. Adolphe Roberts' "Lands of the Inner Sea," who writes of the West Indies and Bermuda. He gives historical background to places and buildings in interesting fashion. Commenting on West Indies' hotels he writes: "I am incurably addicted to spacious old-fashioned rooms, broad verandahs, dreamful gardens, and a general air of lazy comfort. Give me these things and the other fellow can have the chromium plumbing and the jazz bands."

Thoughts For The Week

MONDAY

Teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly, in this present world . . .—Titus 2:12.

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Our character is but the stamp on our souls of the free choice of good or evil we have made through life.—J. C. Geikie.

TUESDAY

And the idols he shall utterly abolish.—Isaiah 2:18.

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God will put up with a great many things in the human heart, but there is one thing that He will not put up with in it—a second place. He who offers God a second place, offers Him no place.—Ruskin.

WEDNESDAY

Again, if two lie together, then they have heat; but how can one be warm alone? — Ecclesiastes 4:11.

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No man can live happily who regards himself alone, who turns everything to his own advantage. Thou must live for another, if thou wishest to live for thyself.—Seneca.

THURSDAY

For there is no difference between the Jew and the Greek; for the same Lord over all is rich unto all that call upon him.—Romans 10:12.

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No piled-up wealth, no social station, no throne, reaches as high as that spiritual plane upon which every human being stands by virtue of his humanity.—Chapin.

FRIDAY

In him was life; and the life was the light of men.—John 1:4.

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Christ came not to talk about a beautiful light, but to be that light—not to speculate about virtue, but to be virtue.—H. G. Taylor.

SATURDAY

It is like leaven, which a woman took and hid in three measures of meal, till the whole was leavened.—Luke 13:21.

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No human being can come into this world without increasing or diminishing the sum total of human happiness. — Elihu Burritt.

SUNDAY

Before destruction the heart of man is haughty, and before honor is humility.—Proverbs, 18:12.

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Heaven's gates are not so highly arched as king's palaces; they that enter there must go upon their knees.—Daniel Webster.

Library No Highbrow Institution

By Aileen Campbell

IT IS the ordinary man's club, university and recreation centre all rolled into one.

Technician and engineer, professional man and homemaker, career girl and student—men and women in every line of endeavor, mount the stone steps of the Victoria Public Library in search of information, education, entertainment or escape.

They seek it between the covers of some 77,641 volumes and countless periodicals and standard reference works. Today they use the library as never before. Young men and women come to the library for information they would never have dreamed of coming for, even 15 or 20 years ago.

"We are no highbrow institution," smiling Mrs. Nina Napier, head of the cataloguing department, will tell you. "We are a public utility. The old idea of a library purely as a cultural centre is not true today. It is an information centre as well as a cultural one."

Librarian Margaret Clay will back that statement up with pages of questions asked, and information sought by young and old since she first came to the library as a student in 1913. She has been librarian since 1924.

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DURING the war years, technicalmen more than once, found formulae and instructions in books and papers obtained for them by the library, which saved hundreds of man-hours. A Scot who came to a Victoria shipyard from Clydeside, as an expert on propellers, obtained a volume on the subject he had never seen.

"I thought I knew all there was to know about propellers until I came here and read this," he told Miss Clay.

Technical books of all types were in great demand and at first the library was almost swamped, but not for long. Just as Victoria became both a defence and training area, from 1939 to 1945, so the Public Library adjusted itself to the new demands made upon it, when the interests of the community became more industrial than ever before.

Men from every part of the British Empire who came to Patricia Bay under the Commonwealth Air Training Plan made use of the library for technical books and showed their appreciation by letters sent to the library staff, long after they had left Vancouver Island.

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READING habits of the public are a sign of the times according to library workers, who say that books on house building, home planning and carpentry are at a premium in Victoria today.

"The housing situation being what it is, many have the urge to build their own or plan the layout for someone else to build," according to Jean Porter, in charge of the circulation department. "Carpentry, from fancy cabinets to kitchen cupboards, are of interest to women as well as men these days."

Nostalgia, escape, getting-away-from-it-all—these are other reading trends of our day and age.

"I'd like to be a model, have you any books on the subject?" from a pert-looking miss with a career on her mind. Or perhaps it is a job in radio or something on the nursing profession. Others seek information on how to build a boat or plant a garden or organize a club. There is no end to the use Victorians make of their public library.

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IT IS doubtful if the early pioneers of Victoria, who brought their precious volumes round the Cape Horn—volumes, which to them perhaps symbolized the life they were leaving in the old land—realized to what proportions the library would grow in 84 years.

For it was back in 1864 that the city's first library opened in the home of the Mechanics' Institute on the top floor of the Hibben and Carswell Building on Yates Street, below Government. There were 500 books. The fact that the library was housed in the Mechanics' Institution, seems now a forecast of the use that has and is being made of it, by technical men in all branches of industry.

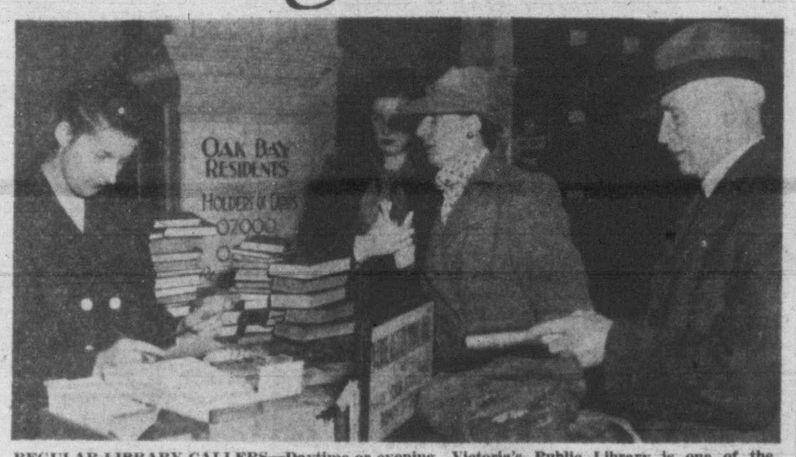
The library was later housed in a room in the City Hall, moving to its present building, which was newly-erected in 1906. You will not have had to live in Victoria long, to know that for the past 25 years, the library has been urging a new building on the grounds of lack of accommodation.

The annual report of the library board this year was no exception. Miss Clay says the estimated capacity of the library at the time it was built was 15,000 volumes and today it houses 77,641. It has 6,222 feet of shelf space, where 17,758 are required.

"We are trying to give service to a city with a population of 103,000 from a library which was inadequate when the population was 25,000," she says.

"We are frustrating the efforts and defeating the purpose of a well-trained and capable staff, by asking them to perform the impossible in this outdated, overcrowded building."

However, be that as it may, the library, like many an old home, has a certain cozy, friendly atmosphere, much sought after by those who feel the world is too much with them. here are regular library callers who will browse hours on end, perhaps among the biographies or philosophy or the section on poetry plays and the drama.



REGULAR LIBRARY CALLERS—Daytime or evening, Victoria's Public Library is one of the busiest, yet quietest spots in town. On Saturday night while many are lining up on Yates Street to get into theatres, others are lining up at the library to take books out or bring them in. Three regular book borrowers are shown above, left to right: George Stirling, former M.L.A. for Salmon Arm, retired, and living in Victoria for the past two years; Mrs. Jack Chadwick and Miss Beverly Chadwick. Margaret Floyd of the library staff takes their books.

LITTLE THEATRE ACTRESS—Noel Cusack, well known in local drama circles and especially for her work in the Little Theatre, glances over a book on theatrical make-up. Works from the ancients to the most modern of modern playwrights can be found on the well-stocked shelves of the library's play section.

WHILE reading interests in Victoria, where there is a greater proportion of leisured people, are considered very high, the librarians will admit, a bit ruefully, that "Yes, 'Forever Amber' was very popular." Margaret Mitchell's titanic "Gone With the Wind," like the books on carpentry, is seldom left on the shelf, being as popular with Victoria readers as the famed "Scarlett" herself.

Detective books remain as popular here as ever, though the output is diminishing.

"Getting away from it all is the fashion today, both in writing and reading," according to Mrs. Napier. "The simple country life, individual independence, are what people seem to seek.

"There is a craving for settlement in life and a nostalgia, as readers look back on happier times. It is most apparent in the books that depict prewar and pre-first war Britain. Judging from the demand for a series we have of 'Britain in Pictures,' there must be a lot of homesickness for the Britain of other days that many local residents knew."

The tremendous interest in gaudy, historical novels, whatever their literary value or lack of it, is attributed to the getting-away-from-it-all idea. With many, escapism is the popular reading habit. Books on travel in other lands written and published between the two wars are enjoying a revival of interest.

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BOOK reviews from one or two prominent American magazines, the various book club's monthly selections and comments favorable or adverse, about any current book from the pulpit of a Sunday morning, have an immediate effect on the demand at the local library, according to Mrs. Napier. Shakespeare's plays were tops on the borrowers' list when the Donald Wolfitt Company gave four productions at the Royal Theatre recently.

Oddly enough, the one who receives the greatest all-round use from the public library is the homemaker and mother in the opinion of Miss Porter.

"She not only gets current fiction and non-fiction books for recreation and information, but books on home management, child study, kitchen carpentry or the making of curtains," according to Miss Porter. "She is also one of the top borrowers of the works of Thomas Hardy, but whether for herself or husband is not known, since many women pick out the family's books when they come to town."

In some families, the reverse is true. One youngster came in and asked for "a fiction book for mom and a detective story for dad." What the youngster got for himself is not known.

Young businessmen, seeking to get ahead, come to the library for books on personnel management, executive positions and the like. Young people thinking of a career for the first time, come to get advice on this or that profession or line of work and to inquire about books that will help them. Those interested in a job change, come to the library to find out the prospects of the job in mind.

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MANY who would attend the current plays on the legitimate stage in London or New York, have at least the pleasure of reading them, if not seeing them. Those with theatrical ambitions read the plays to help them in amateur dramatic work.

"You meet every type of person in this work," says Miss Porter, who is quite enthusiastic about it all. "There is a warmth to the work that you cannot seem to get across, when you are speaking of it."

Mrs. Napier describes it this way:

"Odd conversations when you are getting someone a wanted book—a glimpse into someone else's life; making a grumpy borrower friendly before he leaves—a feeling that there is a result somewhere for your effort, even though it is not tangible."

HOMEMAKER—Mrs. Doris Rouse of Tyndal Avenue, Gordon Head, a regular library borrower, asks Joey Wilson, librarian, for information on a book she is interested in. Even with a husband and four children to look after, all regular library borrowers too, Mrs. Rouse finds time while in town on her shopping trips to get books ranging from biography to home interests.

STUDENT—Fraser MacPherson, second-year student in commerce at Victoria College, drops into the library after classes for some quiet study, and perusing of reference books for his English essays.

Russians Exploit B-29 Secrets

By DOUGLAS LARSEN

IT IS now definitely known that the Russians are exploiting the secrets of the B-29 Superfortress bomber in the production of giant transport planes as well as bombers.

The whole complicated, weird story of how the Russians got the B-29 data in the first place, and of how they are currently using it, can now be told for the first time.

It starts with the mysterious disappearance during the war of three B-29s, including the famed "H. H. Arnold Special." It involves an unsuccessful Russian attempt to buy B-29 parts in the U.S. And it ends with the showing of a newsreel in a London theatre recently.

In July, 1944, the first Superfort fell into Russian hands. The pilot of the plane was forced to land at Vladivostok after a bombing mission against Mukden, Manchuria.

The second one to go to the Reds was the "Special." This plane was one of the first B-29s to come off the Boeing production line in Wichita, Kans. It participated in the first B-29 bombing mission in the Pacific.

To bolster morale in the plant the employees were kept informed of the plane's missions—until its mysterious disappearance. The last they were told about it was that it had taken off on Armistice Day, 1944, and dropped bombs on Japan. Then no more was heard about the plane or crew.

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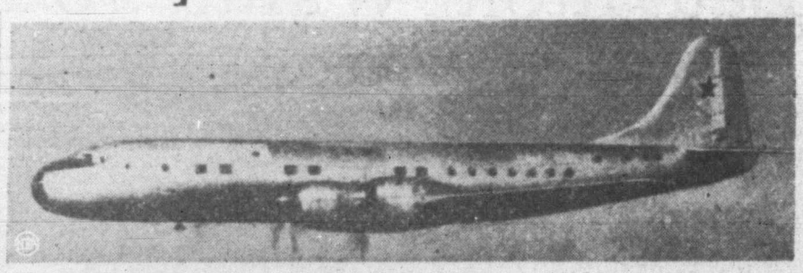
THE "Special" also landed at Vladivostok, and was followed 10 days later by the third Superfort. All had gone into Russia because they were running short of gas. The crews were interned at a camp at Tashkent, Siberia, before they were freed and sent back to the U.S.



THE COPY: Newsreel shot of Soviet's TU-70 gave away the story of the Russian Superfortress.

THE ORIGINAL: Boeing engineers figure they gave Soviet Designer Tupolev "considerable help."

But the Russians never volunteered an explanation of what happened to the B-29s.

The first evidence that the Russians were producing replicas of the B-29 came last year during the Soviet Aviation Day parade at Moscow. U.S. observers reported that they saw in the sky "definitely more Superfortresses than they came by from us."

Then Gen. Carl Spaatz, Air Force Chief of Staff, disclosed in testimony before President Truman's Air Policy Commission that Russia in 1946 had tried to place an order with an American rubber company for tires, wheels and brake assemblies of the Boeing B-29. Gen. Spaatz said the company wasn't permitted to fill the order.

Then a newsreel in a London theatre showed the new Russian Tupolev TU-70, a 78-passenger transport. A reporter for the British paper, "The Aeroplane Spotter," saw the similiarity between the B-29 and the TU-70. He asked the manager of the theatre for clips from the movie reel, and sent the prints to Boeing.

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BOEING engineers compared the two airplanes and concluded "that they had given Mr. Andreas N. Tupolev considerable help in designing the TU-70." From three photos Boeing designers recognized more than 20 B-29 items that were exact duplicates.

Among the 20 items are: the wings, the general shape of the fuselage, the main landing gear, the tail surface design, the nose, and the propellers. There are other similarities which make it obvious even to the untrained eye that the Russian transport came direct from Boeing engineers.

In the Boeing employees' monthly magazine, where the story was first told in detail, Reynolds Phillips writes:

"Russia asked no one's permission when she seized the Superforts from which it appears she has copied the design and built the jigs and dies necessary for production. She was presented the opportunity, through no one's fault, and she helped herself.

"It is an indication that Russia's own designers still have not been able to produce a long-range airplane as advanced as the Superfortress, which in the U.S. already is being superseded by the even more advanced B-50."

Millie's Operations

MILLIE COLLINS, eight-year-old veteran of 21 surgical operations, made a prideful journey to the Boston Children's Hospital the other day. It was exactly a year ago since her last operation, and she wanted to see what the doctors had to say now about her artificial esophagus.

They said it was okay.

Millie—short for Millicent—is one of the most-operated-on youngsters in the world. She was born without a complete esophagus — part of the alimentary canal between the throat and stomach. Unless corrected, this defect means death from pneumonia or starvation.

Fed through a tube in her stomach, Millie was brought to the Children's Hospital in March, 1940, when she was four months old. Within nine months she had 15 operations.

Millie's artificial esophagus is outside her chest. It was made by surgery and her own flesh in slow and time-consuming procedures. She was anesthetized 18 times for dilatations—procedures in which walls of the outside esophagus are stretched to assist passage of food. She was given so many blood transfusions she has forgotten the total—or, maybe she can't count that far, because Millie has trouble with arithmetic.

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FIRST CHILD ever given an artificial esophagus at the famed Boston hospital, Millie and her case set the pace for succeeding ones. The hospital now handles some 30 such cases annually, probably more than any other hospital, as it is the world's only general hospital for children. Since Millie's case, new developments in technique permit surgeons to dispense with the outside procedure; now they splice the unconnected parts of the canal inside the body.

Millie Collins: She got the first artificial esophagus.

The ailment is fairly common. About one child in 15,000 is born with it, and it used to be considered 100 per cent hopeless. The upper part of the esophagus ends blindly in the chest, while the lower part extends from the stomach and connects with the windpipe. Death from pneumonia or starvation results because the gastric secretions from the stomach get into the lungs, and swallowed food bounces from the dead-end gullet and is inhaled.

Millie is a brown-haired girl with hand-made curls. Her hazel eyes flash as she talks, and a wide grin spreads across her face. Although she has spent more than half her years in the hospital, she is a leading student in the third grade of Cabot School in Newton, a suburb of Boston, where she lives with her foster-parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Konian.

Millie talks a lot about her perfect attendance record this year, but with 21 operations in eight years, you can guess what she talks most about.

Tito's Army Ready For 'Liberation' Of Italy

This report written by Bogdan Raditsa, a brilliant Yugoslav author who became a diplomat in the prewar Yugoslav government, was lulled into believing in Tita's new "freedom" and then fled to the U.S. when he found the bitter truth of Communist "liberation."

Like a military intelligence report which this acticle resembles, it is based on hard facts from eyewitness sources—trustworthy friends of Raditsa who have fled Tito's borders as he did before them.

Before he got a realistic taste of Communism in action, Raditsa had been Tito's chief propaganda officer in the U.S. Now he tells the real truth about "Titoslavia."

BY BOGDAN RADITSA

RUSSIAN ROCKET BOMBS have been moved to launching sites along Yugoslavia's borders as Italy prepares for her crucial election April 18 and pressure increases on the tiny Allied token force at Trieste.

That informaation comes to me from reliable eye-witness sources, Yugoslav friends who have fled from Tito's domain as I did to escape the fate that befell liberals in other Russian satellite countries.

The rockets are captured German V-1 buzz-bombs and V-2's, which presumably came from the great Nazi rocket experimental station at Penemunde in the Soviet zone of Germany. To these the Russians have added their own "improved" version, supposedly capable of soaring 400 miles in 17 minutes.

Such bombs, fired from newly-built bases on the Adriatic coast, could reach Rome, Naples or Salerno. More launching platforms menace Italy from northwestern Yugoslavia and ring the Free State of Trieste, where 10,000 American and British troops are held on a combat footing. Other rocket sites in the southern mountains overlook Greece where government troops are battling guerilla forces.

Those facts come to me in letters which bear a Swiss postmark and the handwriting of a trusted exile, safe in Swiss neutrality, whose name cannot be mentioned. Inside the envelopes is the handwriting of sincere and observing Yugoslav lawyers and businessmen who have managed to get to Italy and there, in comparative safety, smuggle their facts to Switzerland.

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THEY HAVE SEEN more than the rockets which Russia has been delivering and the bases built by slave labor. They report:

Torpedo boats, in dismantled form, are being delivered to the former naval base at Divuljana, near Split, on the Adriatic. (Trucks sent to Yugoslavia by the U.S. were assembled here in 1941.) At least 14 of the torpedo boats have been assembled.

Pocket submarines, also in dismantled form, have been shipped by rail by the Russians to Fiume, just south of Trieste. After being put together, the submarines move by sea in Tito-held waters, probably to underground bases which have been observed under construction on the Albanian coast.

Combat aircraft — the World War II "Stormovik," the "Petljakov," and newer fighters which are being kept hidden in hangars — have been brought in from Russia to Yugoslav airfields especially prepared for them. The Sombor field in northeast Yugoslavia, built by the Hungarians during occupation, has been rebuilt by the Russians and now serves exclusively for Soviet aviation.

Big guns—76 and 88 mm. artillery—and the tanks that ride into combat ahead of them have been coming in from Russia, along with armored cars. Eighty of the tanks wait under camouflage in a valley less than two miles from Gjevjgelija on the Greek frontier, where even the camouflage cannot hide the guns in the chain of bunker fortifications.

On the Adriatic shoreline from Fiume to Kotor, the big guns from Russia (and bigger ones built in Yugoslavia from German prototypes) bristle from natural rock fortifications, pointing toward Italy. At Sibenik (near Split) and Kotor (across from Bari, Italy) are Russian coastal batteries; the one at Kotor guards a V-2 base.

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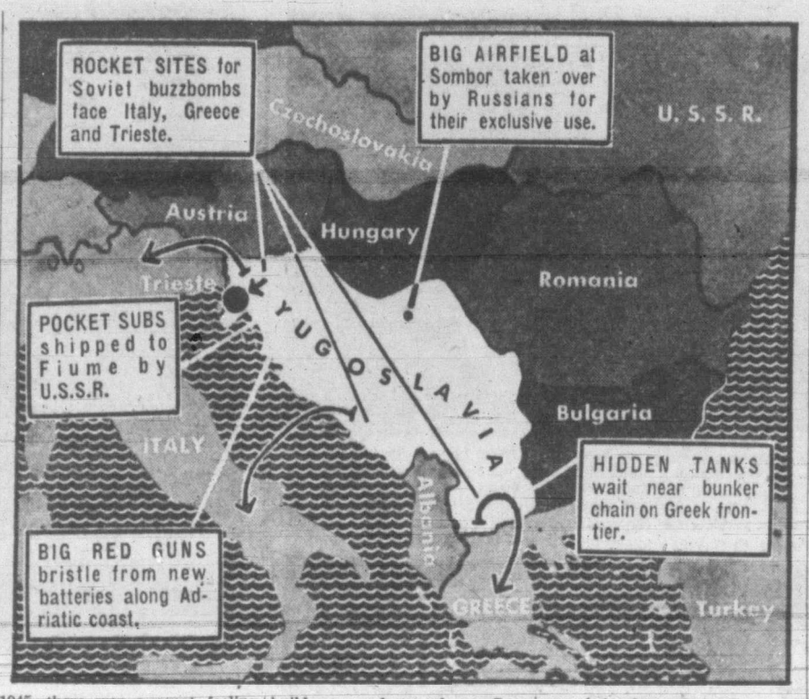
ALL THIS, OF COURSE, is being done in the name of Tita, Yugoslav gauletier for the new Soviet order. But the men as well as the war machines bear an authentic "made in U.S.S.R." stamp.

In every Yugoslav division and brigade, Russian officers and commissars instruct the Yugoslav soldiers. They wear Yugoslav uniforms and speak the Yugoslav tongue as well as their own. Tito's 78 generals are young men who rode through the ranks on the Red surge, but like Tito, they too are puppets; the Russian commissars who stand beside them are the real generals.

Tito's top officers, as well as the specialists in his army, got their training in Russia. The Soviet schooling has been strongest in the air force; large numbers of fighter pilots are ready to fly new-type Soviet planes, although these planes have not yet been seen in Yugoslav skies.

The Yugoslavs are resigned to seeing these planes in their skies —in action—by spring or summer. When I was in Belgrade in 1945, there was a great feeling of depression among the Communists after the atomic bomb was dropped on Hiroshima; for two weeks, it served as the greatest propaganda against Communism. But soon the Reds were bragging again.



And last November, Tito confidently told the Communist leader in Croatia:

"We are ready to sink their (American) fleet in the Adriatic. Against their atomic bombs we shall use our own. We do not stand alone this time. Our material comes from an inexhaustible source.

"Russian workshops turn out 30,000 cars a month. Headquarters have at their disposal 150 divisions ready to march on 48 hours' notice and capable of wiping out all obstacles obstructing their advance to Paris.

"Comrade, you know well that the people are not on our side. The farmers are perfidious and obstinate, and it is impossible to clear their brains of belief in priests and saints. When priests toll alarm bells, there will be wholesale insurrection."

Which explains why the secret police — the U.D.B., or Office for the Security of the State, until recently called O.Z.N.A.—is so busily cataloguing those who will be arrested when alarm bells toll.

It explains, too, why so many people who have managed to build up good records as Communists and get assignments to Italy and elsewhere on purchasing missions, suddenly become exiles and do not return. That is how I fled and how some of my friends, who write me of the things they have seen, manage to get out and never return.

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A BALKAN ARSENAL for the westward march of Communism is being built by the Russians in new Yugoslav factories that turn out guns and munitions, tents and uniforms.

Yugoslav Communist leaders, like Milovan Dyilas, ghostwriter for Tito and friend of Stalin, still tell the people the goal is defense of their "liberation." But trustworthy sources describe a different goal in what they have seen in busy Yugoslav war industries.

The arsenal is being built at the sacrifice of Yugoslav agriculture, which once was self-sufficient. Now huge quantities of grain, meat and wool are going into military storehouses. More than half a million peasant youth have been taken away from farms and put to work in the factories.

A big new war plant has been built at Zenica in the steel area of Bosna province. Reportedly destined to become the biggest of its kind in the Balkans, its production of guns of all calibres is being boosted by steel furnaces moved in from Russia, one of which is now in operation. Dismantled factories in the Soviet zone of Germany are supplying some of the heavy machinery. The Zenica plant, by coincidence, is on the new Samac-Serajevo railroad, the so-called "Freedom Line" built last year by the Youth Movement—some of whom were voluteers from Great Britain and the U.S.

At Kragujevac in Serbia, a renovated factory is producing 80,000 rifles a year, plus German-type 105 mm. guns, Soviet machine guns and automatic rifles, and ammunition for 75 and 88 mm. guns.

At Valjevo, also in Serbia, a consumer goods industry has shifted to bombs, shells, compasses and range-finders.

At Serajevo, the 88 mm. ammunition plant has stepped up its production 42 per cent.

At Uzice, a factory is turning out Russian 11-shot "Vintovka" rifles and ammunition.

At Viseghrad in Bosna, the product is aircraft bombs. Liquid air for 150-pound aircraft rockets is being produced in Siska.

At Obilicevo, near Belgrade, a war-damaged powder and poison gas plant has been hastily repaired and is back in production.

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FIUME'S TORPEDO FACTORY just south of Trieste, has delivered 40 new torpedoes and repaired 60 others of German and Italian origin. Production has been temporarily halted because Zenica steel was found unsuitable. When high-grade steel from Czechoslovakia arrives, production will be resumed.

Three factories at Zemun are turning out training aircraft; a fourth produces the engines for these planes, as well as three-ton army trucks.

Textile plants are busy on military uniforms; some of the work is being done by workers at home on a piece-work basis. The output does not go to the Yugoslav troops now under arms; it is being stored away in military warehouses. Less than 10 per cent of the Yugoslav wool crop remains for the needs of the people.

To get the manpower for this military industrialization, Tito's government is converting land owned by the peasants into collective farms, forcing large numbers of farmers into factory jobs.

For Yugoslavs who resist the idea, there are slave labor camps — called institutions of labor. These camps rent out their prisoners at a dollar a day to whatever factory or project that needs workers. When the job is finished, the workers are returned to the camps.

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TO BOLSTER THE technical skills needed in building the Yugoslav arsenal, a great many German technicians have been moved in from the Russian zone of Germany. If these Germans are Communists, their lot is better than that of the little Yugoslav; if they are not Communists, they join the ranks in the slave labor camps.

The shift from agriculture to industry and the seizure of livestock and crops has made the food situation for the average Yugoslav worse than during the war.

Beef used to be an export item, now only horsemeat is available in the cities.

Sugar is rationed, although the beet sugar crop is larger than before the war, when sugar was abundant; now big shipments of it go to Albania, inscribed with a red star and the message: "With greetings of the Soviet Union to brotherly Albania."

Rye wheat, another erstwhile export item, is now mixed with corn for rationed bread; the "export" is taken care of in military storehouses along the Danube, or in shipments to Romania and Albania which bear markings like the shipments of sugar.

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TITO HAS AN ARMY of 300,000 men ready to back up the Soviet rocket bomb bases on Yugoslavia's western borders and to make use of the Balkan arsenal being built in Yugoslavia's busy war plants.

As the crucial April 18 elections in Italy approach, these troops are being readied for a "liberation" mission, according to the same reliable sources which have managed to give me a steady flow of military facts from inside Yugoslavia.

These sources add weight to the threat publicly voiced last week by Italian pro-Communist Pietro Nenni that the Po Valley may become a battlefield unless the Reds win the vote next month.

The Tito army commands the eastern flank of the Po Valley, and the Communists orders for the army, my sources report, are to "free" Northern Italy from the non-Communists if such a move is necessary.

Coached by Russian officers and commissars, Yugoslavia's forces are divided into six armies and an armored army is being formed. There are 31 infantry divisions. The facts which filter out of Yugoslavia to me do not contain figures on the air force, but they identify an entire aviation division—the Sixth—as having been formed and trained in Russia.

In the forces facing northern Italy is the Proletarian Division, commanded by Col. Gen. Gajo Vojvodic. It includes the First Serbian Proletarian Brigade, the 3rd Krajiska Proletarian Brigade, the 13th Croatian Proletarian Brigade, the 3rd Krajiska Proletarian Brigade, the 13th Croation Proletarian Brigade, and an artillery brigade.

In the Trieste Army is the 7th Banijakaoffensive Division — mostly Serbian mountain troops rated as Tito's most savage — under Col. Gen. Gruber; the 26th Dalmation Offensive Division; the 27th Slavonian Shock Division, and the First Tank Division.

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BESIDES THE 300,000 men in the army, Tito has more than 100,000 others under arms—the Home Guard, all staunch Communists; the elite K.N.O.J., counterpart of the Nazi S.S. troops, and the U.D.B., or secret police.

In elaborate manoeuvers last October, along the Danube north of Sombor, Yugoslav troops engaged in an operation called "forced transit of the Danube." Russian airplanes, plus two regiments of the Soviet motorized army sent down from Hungary and a Soviet heavy artillery regiment (conveniently located at Sombor) also took part in the manoeuvers.

The Russians count on Tito's army as an effective force if they are needed to help the Italian Communists "free" northern Italy. With the average Yugoslav soldier, no matter what his inhibited feelings about the Russians, it would be a popular mission because of an anti-Italian spirit. And the average Yugoslav soldier—the new youth mobilized after World War II — would welcome a chance to fatten up in the Po Valley after the meager rations enforced upon them by the Communists.

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BUT THERE IS another and more critical mission the Russians have in mind for the Yugoslav troops.

That role is an expendable first-line of defense if Communism meets a stone wall in Italy and democracy starts pushing back against Yugoslavia from the west, with force.

By expendable, I mean that the Russians fully expect the Yugoslav army would be wiped out in any such move from the west. The facts I have pieced together from my friends show that the equipment being turned out by the new Yugoslav arsenal is not going to Tito's soldiers, but is being held in reserve.

The Yugoslav forces might be able to hold for as long as 24 days. That is as long as Russia would need them as a buffer. By then the Reds would have their own forces in position.

I do not need the letters from my friends to know the full scope of what the Russians have in mind.

As early as the spring of 1945, when I was still in Belgrade, I listened to Soviet officers in responsible positions openly brag how they could have the whole of Europe in four or five weeks' time.

"After that," they said bluntly, "America will be close."

That was while the U.S. was talking friendship with the Russians as they closed in on Germany together.

"We will move across northern Italy and France," said the Soviet officers in Belgrade. "And then we will strike against Spain. A popular war against Franco—and how can the west defend him—will bring us to the Atlantic."

The atom bombs that burst over Japan silenced such barefaced bravado, but only for a matter of weeks.

Before I fled in 1946, they were talking of world upheaval again. And the letters that reach me now tell that the Communists have convinced the Yugoslav people of the inevitability of war.

In their public speeches, the Communists speak of such war as the "defense of liberation." But in cafes and in government offices, the war they talk about is a real one.

And the military facts from inside Tito's domain look as if Yugoslavia will be the springboard.

Bridge At Its Best

By W. E. McKENNEY, America's Card Authority

HOW TO SQUEEZE TEN TRICKS OUT OF NINE

North: ♠ A 7 6 3 ♥ A 10 2 ♦ K Q 4 ♣ Q 8 3
West: ♠ K Q J 9 5 ♥ 7 6 3 ♦ 9 2 ♣ K 10 4
East: ♠ 10 4 2 ♥ 5 4 ♦ J 10 8 6 ♣ A J 9 7
South: ♠ 8 ♥ K Q J 9 8 ♦ A 7 5 3 ♣ 6 5 2
(N-S Dealer)

Lesson Hand—Neither vul.

South	West	North	East
1 ♥	1 ♠	3 ♥	Pass
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening—♠ K 26

I WAS very happy when A. J. (Andy) Mouat of Chicago was elected an Honorary Member of the American Contract Bridge League for 1948. Andy was secretary of the American Whist League for 30 or 40 years and is probably the oldest tournament director in the United States today. He conducts several duplicate games in the Chicago area, and this week he will be playing an important part in directing the Central States regional championships in Chicago.

Andy recently sent me this lesson hand, and it brings out the lesson that I harp on most frequently—count your tricks!

When you win the first trick with dummy's ace of spades you should start to count. You can make one spade trick, five hearts and three diamonds. That makes nine, and if the diamonds break, you will make the fourth diamond.

But suppose they don't—is there any other way to count up to ten?

There most certainly is. Just decide you are going to make six heart tricks, three diamonds and the ace of spades, and here is the way to play it.

Ruff the three of spades with the eight of hearts, enter dummy by overtaking the nine of hearts with the ten, then ruff the six of spades with the jack of hearts. Next cash the king of hearts, go over to dummy with a diamond and ruff the seven of spades with your last trump, the queen of hearts.

Lead the five of diamonds to dummy's king and cash the ace of hearts, which is your sixth heart trick. On this trick you should discard a small club because the diamond suit still may break. But when it does not, you simply concede two clubs and a diamond.

BIG SLAM LET IN BY OPENING LEAD

RUSS WINTERBOTHAM, a writer in the Comic Art Department of N.E.A. Service in Cleveland, sent me this hand. He says it came up in a game of bridge at his home after Christmas dinner, and they had agreed that there would be no criticism or comments on the bidding or play.

Mrs. Lane: ♠ J 9 5 4 2 ♥ A K 10 8 ♦ 10 7 5 2 ♣ None
Mrs. Winterbotham: ♠ Q 8 7 3 ♥ Q 7 5 ♦ 9 4 3 ♣ 8 5 2
Lane: ♠ 6 ♥ J 9 6 4 3 2 ♦ K Q J 6 ♣ J 9
Winterbotham: ♠ A K 10 ♥ None ♦ A 8 ♣ A K Q 10 7 6 4 3
(N-S Dealer)

Rubber—Neither vul.

South	West	North	East
6 ♣	Pass	7 ♣	Pass

Opening—♠ 3 2

Mrs. Ralph Lane was North and Russ was South. Ralph Lane, who draws Vic Flint, an N.E.A. comic, was East, while Russ's mother, Mrs. J. H. Winterbotham, was West.

Russ did not ask how I would bid this hand—he said he thought he found the craziest of opening bids in six clubs.

With his void in hearts it was not a bad bid, and when his mother in the West passed, he relaxed in his rocking chair, but came quickly out of the after-dinner coma when his partner bid seven clubs.

A club or diamond opening would have defeated the contract, but fortunately for Russ, his mother chose to open the fourth best of her longest and strongest suit, which was the three of spades. Russ played the jack from dummy, and when it held, he cashed the ace of hearts and discarded his losing diamond. Now he led a small diamond to his ace, picked up the trumps and spread the hand for seven-odd.

Now let us assume that Mrs. Winterbotham opened a club. Was there any possible chance of making the contract then? If the club was won with the queen and Russ nonchalantly led the ten of spades, West probably would follow the rule of second hand low and not go up with the queen. Russ could overtake the ten of spades with the jack in dummy.

I do not say that it should happen this way, but nevertheless, a similar play actually was made a year or two ago by Robert McPherran of New York, one of the country's outstanding Life Masters.

FIRST OBLIGATION, MAKE THE CONTRACT

YOUR first obligation to your partner in rubber bridge is to make the contract. In tournament play you must always play for the maximum number of tricks.

Few players would open this South hand with one no trump. However, Jeff Glick of Miami, who will be one of the highlights of the Southeastern regional championships tournament to be held at the Hollywood Beach Hotel, Hollywood, Fla., April 10-18, said that those who use the point count system might bid one no trump. He did just on a hunch.

North: ♠ K Q ♥ 9 8 7 ♦ 10 9 8 7 ♣ Q J 9 3
West: ♠ J 10 8 7 3 ♥ K Q 10 3 ♦ 6 5 ♣ 8 2
East: ♠ 6 5 ♥ J 6 5 4 ♦ K Q J 3 2 ♣ 7 6
(N-S Dealer)

Glick: ♠ A 9 4 2 ♥ A 2 ♦ A 4 ♣ A K 10 5 4

Tournament—E-W vul.

South	West	North	East
1 N.T.	Pass	2 N.T.	Pass
3 N.T.	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening—♠ J 8

It he had bid a club and later a spade, West very likely would not have opened a spade. But Glick got the jack of spades opening, which he won in dummy with the king. He counted three spades, a heart, five clubs, a diamond.

He cashed all five of the club tricks, then the queen of spades. In the meantime, at tricks four and five, East signaled in diamonds by discarding the three and then the deuce. At trick six East let go an opportunity to make an extra trick. At trick eight he led the ten of diamonds from dummy, and when East put on the jack, Glick let him hold the trick. West showed out, discarding the ten of hearts.

East led the queen of diamonds, Glick won this with the ace and West released the seven of spades. Now declarer cashed the ace of hearts and threw West in the lead with a heart, forcing him to lead from his ten-eight of spades into the ace-nine.

If West had kept the seven of spades, and thrown away the queen of hearts, Glick would not have cashed the ace of hearts. He would have led a small heart, still forcing West to lead a spade.

Laughton Wants To Be Nice

By ERSKINE JOHNSON
HOLLYWOOD.

CHARLES LAUGHTON says he's through with meanies. Which is like Sophie Tucker announcing she will sing only Irish ballads or Ethel Merman promising to sing soft and sweet.

"But I really want to play nice people," Hollywood's favorite tubby menace told me. "I'm tired of having friends call me on the phone and ask me to frighten their children into going to bed."

Laughton plays the villainous Haake with Boyer and Bergman in "Arch of Triumph." Maybe Haake was just too much for him. But wasn't it Laughton who recently said: "Villainy has done all right by me. I will leer at my mourners at my own funeral if it will improve the attendance."

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Felix Jackson will collaborate with poet Ogden Nash to write a Broadway musical. . . . Despite the panning she took from London critics, Mae West is doing terrific business with her "Diamond Lil" road company in England.

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An independent, "The Argyle Secrets," will beat Fox to the punch with the international intrigue behind the Iron Curtain. D. Zanuck is foaming at the mouth. . . . Claire Trevor will star in James S. Burkett's production of "Barbed Wire." . . .

Gary Cooper, who recently announced he was through with independent producing, evidently has the yen again. He just purchased the film rights to "Mama Maria's," a novel by Ann Chidchester.

Robert Young will play a young atom bomb scientist in "The Time Is Now."

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IT ALWAYS happens department: Guy Madison and Shirley Temple will play a young married couple in "What Every Young Bride Should Know." Shirley's husband, Johnny Agar will play a fellow Shirley almost married.

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It's definite that Frank Morgan will play Buffalo Bill in the film version of "Annie Get Your Gun."

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"Dames Don't Talk," that Virginia Mayo starrer at Warner Brothers, is a remake of the old Bette Davis film, "Marked Woman." . . . Rave preview cards on "Ruthless" have Arthur Lyons scurrying around to find another Diana Lynn starrer as a quick follow-up.

The grapevine via Republic says that Vera Ralston really arrives as a dramatic actress in "I, Jane Doe," and that she can hang up those ice skates for good. . . . Rudy Vallee is climbing aboard the television wagon with a variety show. . . . Cy Howard has three offers from major lots to bring his "My Friend Irma" air show to the screen. Let's hope they don't decide Marie Wilson isn't the type.

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THAT 16-mm. movie Red Skelton and Lew Borzage made as a gag will be used by Red on his trips to vet. hospitals. Titled "The Great Witherspoon," it stars Red as a Shakespearean ham.

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South Bend, Ind., wants a junket premiere of "So This Is New York" (the Henry Morgan picture), despite the title. It's the locale where the story starts and ends. The town got a taste of Hollywood glamor with the "Knute Rockne" film and is hankering for more.

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Dottie Lamour has a good title for a magazine piece she's writing about her adventures working with Hope and Crosby on the "Road" pictures—"The Road to Madness." And she isn't kidding.

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THERE'S no big mystery about Robert Walker's six-month vacation from the screen, as some would have you believe. Bob is back at work now, in "One Touch of Venus" at U.I., and laughing at all the rumors that made the rounds during his absence. He told me:

"It was simply that I was fed up with bad roles. I'm a ham and I like good ones. I was in one stinker after another at M-G-M and I called them up one day and said:

"'Let's call it quits for a while.

Ginger Rogers has that old yearning for a good musical picture. Her agents are running around Hollywood trying to line one up. Strangely enough, Ginger says she doesn't want to do another film with Fred Astaire. Her current ambition is a co-starring musical with Bing Crosby. Another actress who says she'd give anything to make a picture with Bing is, of all people, Greer Garson.

Take me off salary and I'll see if I can find a play.' I tried but couldn't find a play I liked. This is the best role I've had in a long time."

Ava Gardner is Venus, the statue that comes to life. Her robes for the role are so filmy that a fellow follows her around the set with a portable electric heater.

New Styles Demand New Fashion Technique

Fashion-Wise Double Talk

NEW YORK— A gal can peel off her suit in public this spring without causing a single pair of eyes to pop. Underneath many suits which can be sloughed off with perfect modesty for comfort or for a quick change of costume away from home are cool print dresses, like the Harriette Harra design, shown left. This circular-flounced dress of red, white and blue print crepe is ensembled with the black silk faille suit, shown at the right. The suit has a bolero that slips off; a back-buttoned skirt that unfastens in a jiffy for easy removal.—

'Hurry-Up' Pace Ages Your Face

The older we grow the more important it becomes to recognize the aging effect of an impatient "hurry-up" attitude. Look to your own acquaintances for good examples. You know, I'll wage, at least one woman who is always in a hurry. She hurries through housework, she rushes to market, she frowns at any delay, however minor it may be.

The pressure of her pace is mirrored in the furrows in her brow, in the tense, set lines around her mouth and eyes. The pace she sets for herself may, in fact, be adding years to her appearance.

The woman, on the other hand, who deliberately cultivates a serene attitude toward the little things in life as well as the major events can accomplish as much with far less strain on her nervous sysem. The trick lies in organizing her time and concentrating on the job at hand.

She will, for example, plan a weekly schedule of housework and allot plenty of time for each task. When she plans menus, she has her cookbooks and nutrition charts at hand and writes out marketing orders at the same time. She focuses her attention on the menus. She doesn't let her mind wander to other things she might be doing.

Youthful, Easy-Swinging Stride Depends On Comfortable Shoes

Many a woman who is successful in hiding her age every other way advertises it by the way she walks.

Usually such a walk is active from the knees down. This walk is choppy, steps are mincing, legs are busy and feet are noisy.

A swinging stride from the hip sockets which keeps legs moving rhythmically and redistributes weight evenly from foot to foot looks more youthful because it helps to create the impression of a dynamic walk.

The way to achieve this longer-legged stride is to swing into it. Without shoes that insure an easy-swinging walk, however, you'll be right back in your mincing steps.

Shoes worn for easy, graceful walking should be large enough for toe-spread, low-heeled enough for ground grip.

With the advent of exaggerated high heels more and more women are carrying their stilted slippers in their handbags and are making a switch from ground-gripping wedgies to dress-up shoes when the day's travels afoot are ended.

Neatness Key To Right And Wrong Styling For Gray Hair

Don't allow blowsy hair to add unfair years to your appearance. This is particularly apt to happen if your hair is grey.

A New York hairdresser gives the following recipe to control troublesome hair.

He says the coiffure will resist strays or tendencies to fly apart if it is styled for sleekness, is securely anchored to the head with pins and combs, and is lacquered to stay put.

Part front hair on the side, and bring it forward at one point in a wavy dip. Part hair slantwise in the back, and bring each section forward to the side of the head and roll into a snug bun, as shown.

This hair-do will stay put, if you'll stuff enough hairpins into the buns to keep them securely tacked to your head. The trouble with most women, says the New York hairdresser, is that they never use enough pins. Nor tuck combs either, he claims. There are four used in the coiffure shown—one large and one small comb tucked into hair in the back at each side of the back parting.

Lacquer was generously sprayed into this coiffure as well as over it to keep it sleek. Use plenty of lacquer, he urges. It will give shape and body to your hair as well as keep the coiffure outlines neat.

Keep Hemlines In Hand

Tips for handling long skirts are pictured above. Long, tight skirt is pulled up at the knee in front, left, to permit easier descent of stairs. To clear the high bus step, right, the model uses both hands, slides skirt up at the side seams. She keeps her full ballerina skirt from dusting the floor as she sits down, centre, by gathering fullness to one side.

Use the technique that models use for keeping long, full skirts from gathering up dust; for keeping hobbling hemlines from hampering freedom.

From Helen Fraser, director of the Barbizon School of Modeling, who puts students through these new fashion-paces, come tips which can be used with profit.

Take, first, the art of clearing a bus or street-car step in an ankle-tight skirt. Miss Fraser teaches models the technique of using both hands, gathering up and lifting a skirt at the side seams for the climb, as grandma did during those horse-and-buggy days.

For the climb up less-steep stair steps, our teacher recommends using one hand to pluck up a long skirt at the knee in front. This manoeuvre, Miss Fraser maintains, enables you to slide up a skirt sufficiently to take a step unhampered and to keep hemline safe from soil.

To walk more gracefully in hobbling hemlines, accommodate your stride to the narrowness of the skirt, advises Miss Fraser.

The problems posed by fashions with extravagant yardage are solved, she says, by literally keeping your long full skirts in hand.

To sit in one gracefully, gather fulness to one side in the palm of your hand and keep the hemline clear of the floor by pulling the skirt up slightly before you settle down.

When climbing stairs or entering an automobile, pluck up a full skirt at the knee in front with one hand. To keep a skirt from trailing when you descend stairs, catch fulness in back with one hand and swing the hemline slightly away from your legs to keep it out of the path of shoe heels.

Many Delectable Dishes For Festive Occasions

Cream Pie --- Good Eating

Festive cream pie is something to celebrate.

In every family there is an occasional festivity. That's where this traditional cream pie, plus trimmings, comes in. It's good eating, good food and good to look at. So don't let the extra time needed prevent you from treating your family and friends.

FESTIVE CREAM PIE

Crust: One cup sifted flour, ¼ teaspoon baking powder, ½ teaspoon salt, ⅓ cup shortening, 2 to 3 tablespoons ice water.

Sift together flour, baking powder and ½ teaspoon salt. Cut in shortening with fork or pastry blender until it is size of peas. Add ice water a little at a time, mixing only enough to hold ingredients together. Place dough on lightly floured board and roll to about ⅛-inch thickness.

Line a nine-inch heat-resistant glass crinkle edge pie plate. Allow pastry to extend about ¼-inch beyond top edge of pie plate. Tuck pastry under so that it just comes to top of pie plate and press pastry into flutes on pie plate.

Bake in hot oven (425 degrees F.) for about 18 minutes or until crust is brown.

Filling: One teaspoon gelatin, 1 tablespoon cold water, 1 cup milk, ¼ cup sugar, 3 tablespoons cornstarch, ¼ teaspoon salt, 3 eggs, 1½ teaspoons vanilla extract, ½ cup sliced almonds, ¼ cup sliced maraschino cherries, 1 cup whipping cream.

Soften gelatin in cold water. Heat milk in top of a double boiler. Mix together sugar, cornstarch and ¼ teaspoon salt. Add some of the hot milk to the cornstarch mixture and mix thoroughly.

Then return mixture to top of double boiler and continue cooking until thick. Stir constantly. Cook for about 15 minutes longer or until no starchy taste remains.

Beat eggs until light and fluffy. Stir into thickened mixture and continue cooking for about three minutes longer, stirring constantly. Remove from heat and stir in dissolved gelatin. Cool and add vanilla and almond extracts. Stir in sliced almonds and cherries. Whip cream and fold into mixture. Pour filling into baked pie shell.

Garnish: Ten maraschino cherries, 2 ounces citron.

For festive occasions, garnish with maraschino cherries and citron cut in shapes to resemble flowers. Chill pie in refrigerator for about two hours or until it is firm. (Serves five to six.)

Apples Assist Appetites

The natural flavor of apples should be developed. This means little added spice or flavoring.

Whenever possible, cook apples without peeling.

When peeling apples drop in cold water to prevent discoloration.

Cover saucepan closely when making apple sauce.

Sugar toughens cellulose. If sauce is desired, cook without sugar, adding it when apples are cooked. Less sugar will be required. If whole pieces are preferred, make a syrup and cook apples in it.

Bake apples in a moderate oven (350 degrees F.) to prevent the skin breaking.

UPSIDE DOWN CAKE

Three tablespoons butter; one-third cup brown sugar; 3 apples; ¼ cup mild-flavored fat; 3 tablespoons white sugar; 1 egg; one-third cup molasses; 1 cup sifted pastry flour or 1 cup less 2 tablespoons sifted all-purpose flour; 1 teaspoon baking powder; ½ teaspoon baking soda; ⅛ teaspoon salt; 1 teaspoon ginger; ½ teaspoon cinnamon; one-third cup boiling water.

Melt butter in baking dish. Add brown sugar and cook together for 2 or 3 minutes. Peel, core and slice apples. Arrange apple slices in butter and sugar mixture. Cream fat and white sugar together. Add well-beaten egg and molasses. Beat thoroughly. Sift dry ingredients and add to mixture. Lastly add boiling water, mixing quickly. Pour over apples in baking dish and bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) about 40 minutes. Six servings.

APPLE MERINGUE PIE

Pie paste; 2 large apples, sliced; 2 egg yolks; one-third cup sugar; 1 cup milk; 2 egg whites; 2 tablespoons sugar.

Line a 9-inch pie plate with the paste. Peel, core and slice apples and place in the pie shell. Beat egg yolks, add sugar and milk. Pour this mixture over apples. Bake in hot oven (450 degrees F.) for 10 minutes, then reduce temperature to 325 degrees F. and bake 30 minutes longer. Top with meringue made from the 2 egg whites and the 2 tablespoons of sugar. Return to moderately slow oven (325 degrees F.) to brown meringue. Yield: one 9-inch pie.

Surprise Dish For Luncheon

Five medium-sized potatoes; ⅔ cup milk; 2 tablespoons butter; 1½ teaspoons salt; ¼ teaspoon pepper; ½ cup chopped ripe olives; 3 strips minced, crisp, cooked bacon; 6 eggs.

Cook and mash potatoes, beat in heated milk, butter, salt and pepper. Stir in olives and bacon. Pile in 6 mounds on lightly greased cooky sheet. Make a depression in centre of each mound, large enough to hold raw egg. Break an egg in each "nest" and bake in a moderately hot oven (375 degrees F.) 12 to 15 minutes until egg is set. (Serves six.)

Parsnips, Carrots

Three cups grated parsnips or carrots (3 medium); ¼ teaspoon salt; dash of pepper; 2 tablespoons water; 1 cup seasoned, medium cream sauce; ⅓ cup dry bread crumbs; 1 teaspoon mild-flavored fat.

Place grated parsnips or carrots in a greased casserole, sprinkle with salt and pepper and add water. Cover and bake in a moderately hot oven (375 degrees F.) for 15 minutes or until tender. Remove from oven, pour cream sauce over the top and cover with bread crumbs which have been lightly browned in the melted fat. Return to the oven for five minutes, uncovered. (Six servings.)

Chopped unblanched almonds and sweetened dried fruit puree make an extra good topping for quick coffee cakes. Spread it on thick and you'll be serving it for dessert, too.

A tomato souffle becomes much more interesting in color, texture and flavor when you include chopped ripe olives.

Breakfast With A Flourish

Topped off with a delicious orange coffee cake.

Breakfast need not be just a family affair. Make it gala, and ask your neighbor's week-end guests over for Sunday brunch. It'll give her a rest, you the opportunity to make this Orange Coffee Cake. Something special to eat; something simple to bake.

ORANGE COFFEE CAKE

Three tablespoons shortening; ½ cup sugar; 1 egg, well-beaten; 2 teaspoons grated orange rind; 1¾ cups sifted flour; 2 teaspoons baking powder; ½ teaspoon salt; ¾ cup orange juice; ¼ cup milk; ⅛ teaspoon almond extract.

One cup corn flakes; 2 tablespoons sugar; 2 teaspoons grated orange rind; 2 tablespoons sugar; ⅛ teaspoon allspice; 1 tablespoon melted butter.

Blend shortening and sugar thoroughly. Add egg; beat well. Stir in grated rind and flavoring. Sift flour, baking powder and salt together. Add to creamed mixture alternately with orange juice and milk, being very careful not to over-mix. Spread in greased baking pan.

Crush corn flakes into fine crumbs; mix with sugar, orange rind, allspice and butter. Sprinkle over coffee cake. Bake in moderate oven (375 degrees F.) 20 minutes. Yield: Nine squares (8 x 8-inch pan).

Liver Offers Nourishment

Your family needs liver occasionally.

LIVER WITH TOMATO SAUCE

One pound sliced liver, seasoned flour, 2 to 4 tablespoons drippings, 3 tablespoons chopped green pepper (optional), 1 onion (sliced), 1 tablespoon flour or cornstarch, ½ teaspoon salt, ¾ cup cooked tomatoes (sieved) or ¾ cup tomato juice.

Remove skin and veins from liver. Dip in seasoned flour. Brown lightly with the onions in the drippings. Blend salt with 1 tablespoon flour or cornstarch and a little of the tomato. Add to the rest of the tomato and pour over the liver. Cover the pan and cook slowly about 15 minutes, stirring the sauce occasionally.

Veal or beef heart is a lower cost meat that can be cooked deliciously. (Serves four-five.)

BRAISED HEART

Two veal hearts or 1 pound of beef heart, 2 tablespoons flour, salt, pepper, 2 tablespoons fat, 1 cup water. (Serves four.)

Wash hearts and trim out large veins and arteries. Dredge with flour containing salt and pepper. Brown in hot fat. Add water, cover closely and bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees F.) until tender, about 2 hours. A beef heart may require about 4 hours. If desired, use additional flour to make gravy from broth.

Ground Beef, Corn And Tomato Pie

Four tablespoons fat; 2 tablespoons chopped onion; 4 tablespoons flour; 1 pound ground beef; 2 cups canned tomatoes; 2 cups canned corn; 1 teaspoon brown sugar; ¼ teaspoon curry powder; 1 tablespoon salt; ⅛ teaspoon pepper; ¾ teaspoon paprika; 8 baking powder biscuits.

Melt fat in large frying pan, add onion and fry until lightly browned. Add meat and brown thoroughly. Add flour and mix well. Add tomatoes and corn. Cook until mixture boils. Add brown sugar, curry powder, salt and paprika. Mix well. Cover and simmer 15 minutes. Serve stew on a platter surrounded by baking powder biscuits. Six to eight servings.

An ice-water bath will give canned shrimp a fresh-from-the-Gulf flavor. For their dip, drain the liquid from the shrimp and reserve that for the preparation of the recipe. Then put drained shrimp in a bowl with eight or ten ice cubes and a little cold water. Let them soak for 10 minutes.

A utility tray on which to assemble ingredients needed for cooking a special dish will save time and steps. Containers can be carried from shelf to work table on the tray and returned after contents are measured out.

Left-over bits of candied fruits can be put to use as colorful and flavorsome garnishes for cakes, puddings or ice cream. Chop the leftovers into tiny pieces, roll in granulated sugar and store in a covered jar until time to use.

Spaghetti with lots of savory tomato meat sauce and whole ripe olives is mighty popular for suppers. It stays hot for a surprisingly long time if it is served from an earthen casserole.

Pork Sausage Combines Well

Pork sausage, in bulk or in links, combines well with other foods.

PAN-FRIED LINKS

Place links in a cold skillet. Do not prick the skins. Add three tablespoons water, cover skillet and let cook for about five minutes. Uncover and drain off any water. Cook sausage links over low heat, turning often until well browned on both sides. Drain off any fat as it accumulates. Serve with corn timbales.

TASTY CORN TIMBALES

Three-quarters cup scalded milk, 2 eggs, 1½ cups whole kernel corn, 1 tablespoon fat, ¼ cup soft bread crumbs, 1 tablespoon grated onion, 1 tablespoon chopped parsley (optional).

Stir scalded milk gradually into beaten eggs, add rest of ingredients. Turn into well-greased custard cups. Place in shallow pan of hot water and bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) about ½ hour or until knife inserted comes out clean. Serve with or without tomato sauce.

BEEF AND SAUSAGE LOAF

One and one-half pounds ground beef, ½ pound bulk pork sausage, ¼ cup finely minced onion, 2 cups soft bread crumbs, 1 teaspoon salt, ¼ teaspoon pepper, 2 slightly beaten eggs, ½ cup finely diced celery, if possible, ¼ cup catsup.

Mix all ingredients and turn into a greased or oiled 9x5x3-inch loaf pan. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees F.) for one hour and 15 minutes. Serves 6.

Cinnamon Toast

One-quarter cup honey; 1 to 2 tablespoons cinnamon.

Mix honey and cinnamon together. Lightly butter six slices toast and spread with honey-cinnamon mixture.

To give plain muffins a simple glamor treatment, place a spoonful of red currant jelly and chopped unblanched almonds in the bottom of each muffin cup before pouring in the batter. Serve them upside down, of course.

Reflections

What's the attraction about a puddle or a pool? Watch any youngster walking home from school and if there's a puddle around he'll walk through it even if he hasn't his rubbers or gumboots on. Cameraman Bill Halkett on his regular rounds this week found these youngsters having a great time in a small pool of water. After the Sunday deluge the youngsters found plenty of pools in which to sail boats and wade. Those in the above picture are, left to right: Michael Mason, Benny McKay, Wayne Wood, Garry Wenstock and Neil Mandrake. In background are Sandra Land and Ray Dunlock.

Capt. Sam Dingle...

Sammy And Joie Learn Of Whales That Walked!

By JANE ARDOE

"NEVER did take much stock in groundhogs but it looks as though the little beggars knew something this year," said Capt. Dingle when we gathered in his living-room last week.

Sammy, Joie and I were making what has become a weekly visit to Capt. Dingle and his Sarah Ann. The weather has been so unsettled that the Captain can't take his regular walks along the waterfront. He still hasn't shaken off the effects of the 'flu and his Sarah Ann isn't taking any chances with him.

"Do you really think that groundhogs know what the weather's going to be like?" asked Sammy. "It sure looks like they know something. The weather's sure been lousy since the groundhog took his look around last February."

"Tell you the truth, Sammy, there isn't any groundhogs in these parts, so how could there be any truth in it," said Capt. Dingle. "You know these newspaper boys, they've got to get things to put in the paper and they imagine things sometimes, I think. Quite simple. A man's shadow would do just as well or the shadow of a tree or a building."

"How is that?" asked Joie.

"Well, if the groundhog—supposing there did happen to be one in Victoria—came out of his hole—supposing he had one—and the sun was up it's only natural that he would cast a shadow," reasoned Capt. Dingle. "The same goes for you, Joie. If you happened to be out at the same time you'd cast a shadow and so would the trees over in Beacon Hill Park. Naw, the whole thing's stupid. Just superstition. Some people fall for anything."

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I THOUGHT I'd find out what the captain thought about the superstitions of the sea. "When you were a sailorman didn't you believe in superstitons?" I asked.

"For instance, name me one," Capt. Dingle asked me.

"The first one that comes to my mind is taking your ship to sea on a Friday or the 13th of the month, or better still on Friday the 13th?" I said.

"Never gave a rap for that stuff," came back Capt. Dingle. He puffed his cheeks and almost blew out his words. "Why, bless my soul, one of the fastest passages I ever made was when we left Newcastle, New South Wales, with a cargo of coal for Chile, on Friday the 13th. We fairly flew across the South Pacific and for several days logged over 300 miles, which was smart going in sail.

"Oh, yes, we had men who wouldn't sleep in a cabin it if had '13' on it. Some companies wouldn't have a cabin with that number on it. And, my, we must never have 13 people sit at a table for a meal! Oh, dear, no; if we did one of the 13 would be dead before the end of the year, so they said. And, believe me, there's still some people in the world that are stupid enough to believe that stuff. I've always believed that, when there's food around, it doesn't matter how many are at the table as long as there's enough to go around."

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"SPEAKING of food, that reminds me," said Capt. Dingle and he suddenly shouted: "Sarah Ann, where are you hiding that chocolate cake? Seems to me these young 'uns in here would like a piece or two."

"What do you mean, Sam Dingle," called out Sarah Ann from the kitchen. "Is it you or the young 'uns that wants a piece of cake? If I know my Sam Dingle it's he that's a-wanting a piece of cake. And I suppose a cup of tea, too."

"You read my mind correctly, my dear," said Capt. Dingle, with a twinkle in his eye. "Great girl my Sarah Ann. What she's put up with me in a lifetime no one knows."

After Joie had had a piece of cake he said: "Mrs. Dingle, that is a lovely cake; better than the one we had last week."

"Thank you, Joie, that's very nice of you to say that," said Mrs. Dingle. "Do you think you could manage another piece?"

"I'm supposed to say no," said Joie. "Thats what my mother tells me, but I'd be a liar if I said so. I sure could go another piece. Thanks, I" take a chance on not being able to eat my supper. Guess we'll be having stew tonight. Always get it at the end of the week."

"Nothing like a good stew, Joie, my boy," asid Capt. Dingle. "Lots of vegetables and a big chunk of meat. What say you, Sarah Ann? I could go for that tonight."

"You'll be going for something else, liver," said Sarah Ann.

"No, no," protested Capt Dingle.

"Yes, yes," said Sarah Ann. "Doctor's orders. I've got to get some more red blood in the old boy."

"That dratted stuff, fair turns my stomach," said Capt. Dingle. "But they'll have their way around here. If they'd let me treat myself I'd a been out of here weeks ago. But no, I've got to be babied. Bah!"

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"CAPT. DINGLE, what's this?" asked Sammy, who had been quiet after devouring his cake and was searching among the captain's collection of odds and ends he'd picked up on his many voyages.

"Come closer, my boy, an let me see," said Capt. Dingle. "Oh, yes. That's a whale's ear drum.'

"A whales ear drum! Why that isn't very big," Sammy said. "You aren't kidding me, are you?"

"No, Sammy, whales don't hear very well," said Capt. Dingle. "They actually hear through their mouths, strange as that may seem. They have a blowhole in the top of their heads to blow the water out after they've sounded — that means when they've be under water for a spell. They come up to blow and breathe.

"The ear drums are set far inside the mass of flesh that makes up the whale's head. That's why the whaling steamers can get within 50 feet of a sleeping whale before firing the harpoon."

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WE INSPECTED the ear drum. It was about three inches long and about two inches in diameter. It had ridges and when Capt. Dingle held it up on end he said: "See, it has a man's face." Sure enough it had. Looking at the profile there was the nose, mouth and forehead.

"You don't have any whale's legs, do you?" asked Sammy. "Perhaps you have a whale's skeleton in the basement, you've got nearly everything else here."

"Hardly, son," said Capt. Dingle. "But strange as it seems they have caught whales here that had things that looked like legs. They tell us that the whales did walk about at one time. They must have lived on land because they're not like fish, they can't breathe water. They've got to have fresh air."

"Does a whale have a backbone?" asked Joie.

"Yes, it certainly does and what a backbone it is," said Capt. Dingle. "When you're going through the garden you'll see one of the vetebraes if you keep your eyes open. I made a garden seat out of it. Quite a size and looks something like the propeller off a ship. Quite solid."

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"HAS a whale got any brains?" asked Joie.

"Not much or they wouldn't have disappeared so fast," said Capt. Dingle. All the great animals, like dinosaurs, have disappeared. There aren't many hippos or rhinoceros left, either. With their strength and size these animals could have kept going if they'd had any brains.

"And don't you young 'uns forget that. You ain't much good if you don't use your brains. You'll often hear it said about a certain man: 'Oh, he's got a strong back and nothing upstairs'. These days you can get a bulldozer to do the heavy work but you've got to have a man with brains to operate it.

"You'll find that as you go through life that the fellow who uses his brains really gets places. Lots of fellows are too lazy to use their brains and never get anywheres but they're always complaining about their luck. So see to it that you learn your lessons at school and make something out of yourselves."

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"THANKS, captain," Sammy said. "But why don't the men who run the world use their brains. Why can't they stop all these wars. Why do they make atom bombs first to kill people inistead of making them for useful purposes?"

"Not so fast, my young friend," said Capt. Dingle "Seems to me your brains are working all right. It seems as we get older we lose the reasoning powers we had when we were kids. Always asking questions—and I must say most of them make sense. When you embarrass older folks we brush you off. Tell you to run away and play with yourselves. I don't think you young 'uns could make a worse mess of things than we've done. But mind this, see that when you grow up you don't get the strange outlook we old 'uns have. Be fair and don't get prejudiced."

"Im not prejudiced against another piece of cake," said Joie. We all had a laugh and another piece, so our visit to Capt. Dingle ended on a sweet note.

Uncle Ray...

Strange Easter Customs In Foreign Lands

IN SOME cities of southern Eurpoe, religious processions take place during the last three days of Holy Week. The custom dates back several hundred years, to the period in history known as the Middle Ages.

In Italy, the cities of Rome and Florence are noted for these processions, an dthey also have been held in Palermo, Sicily, and in Seville, Spain.

Men and women in Seville have the custom of dressing in long robes and marching through the city streets on the night of Holy Thursday.

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AFTER midnight those persons go to several churches. They wear robes which are purple, black or white. Cone-shaped hats rise about two feet above their heads. Their faces are covered with cloth except for slits which permit them to see.

On the night of Good Friday, other processions of the same kind are held in Seville. People who do not take part go in crowds to the Plaza and other public places, to watch the marchers go by.

Far older than the Easter processions of Spain are the Easter fires which are lighted in some countries of northern Europe. This custom goes back to times before the coming of the Christian faith, and was at first performed as a sign of joy over the beginning of spring. A goddess known as Eostre, or Easter, was honored as the ruler of spring.

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CHRISTIAN bishops and priests tried to stamp out the Easter fire custom, but at length it was approved by churchmen. The fires usually are lighted on high hills or on mountains. Sometimes the lighting is done by rubbing wood against wood, and in other cases the fire is started with sparks made by striking flint against iron, steel or pyrite.

In some countries fireworks are exploded at Easter time. Mexico is one of the places where fireworks are popular at this season.

Mexicans make effigies, and these are blown up on Easter Day. These effigies are supposed to stand for evil, and some are marked "Judas." Small ones may be bought at stores. Sometimes Mexican children are so anxious to celebrate that they explode the figures before the proper time.

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ITALY also has fireworks for Easter, and a legend tells how the custom was started. In the year 1300, we are told, a young man in a well-known family of Florence was first to obtain fire from a stove which had come from the Holy Land. This pleased the young man because the first person to obtain light from the stove for his candle was supposed to be blessed with good fortune. In memory of that event he asked his family to pay for a fireworks display on the night of Holy Saturday of the next year. The display was held, and became a yearly custom.

At a later time, someone had the idea of placing fireworks on a covered cart, which could be used year after year for the same purpose. The cart was drawn through the streets by white oxen.

An artificial dove was made to slied down a rope, after being set afire, and at the end of the slide it lighted the fireworks. When, at last, the cart was no longer in good condition, another one was built to take its place. Florence has used up several carts in following this strange Easter custom.

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WHEN a famous man dies, newspapers tell about his life on the front page, and usually publish pictures of him.

Elephant Annie could hardly have known about that custom. She was living, in a quiet and friendly manner, in the Vilas park zoo of Madison, Wis. Being the only elephant in that zoo, she had been a centre of interest for crowds of visitors. Children would feed her peanuts, and so would many men and women. She must have been pleased to have so many friends, but she never read the papers.

If Elephant Annie had been able to read, she would have seen news about herself toward the end of her life. It was front page news in the Madison papers, and her picture was printed alongside the words.

The news was sad. Here is the first paragraph of one of the articles:

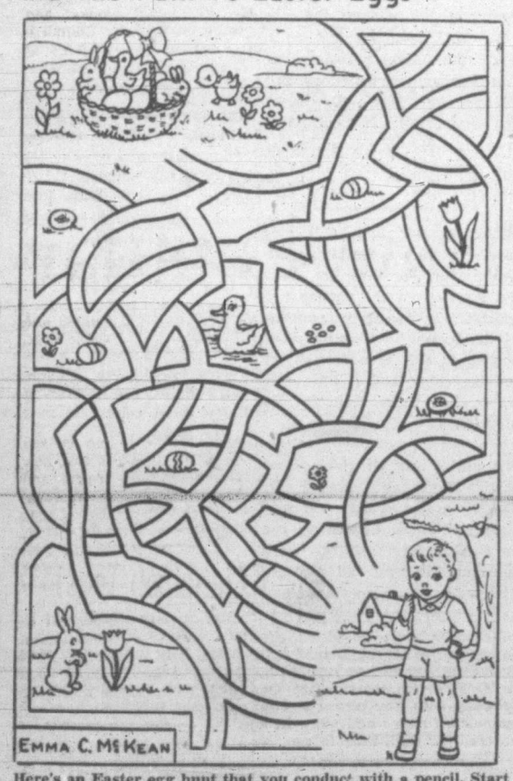
"Annie, the 51-year-old elephant at Vilas park zoo, is ill. She has a severe infection on her left front foot, caused by stubbing her toe against the steel ring to which she is chained in her 'living room' at the lion house."

Earnest efforts were made to save the elephant. A boot was used to hold sulfa salve against the wound in the foot. This seemed to help, and there was hope that she would grow well, but four days after the public learned of her illness, her death was announced. Again it was front page news. One paper—the Wisconsin State Journal—printed five pictures of the elephant on the front page.

What had caused the death of Elephant Annie? That was a question when the event took place last month. An autopsy was held, and it was stated that the cause of death probably was strain on the heart, instead of the foot wound. This brings out an important fact. Shortly before her death, we are told, the elephant lay down for the first time in 20 years. When she tried to get up again, it is believed that the strain caused a heart attack.

Elephants can sleep while standing up. This saves them from lifting the great weight of their bodies. Elephant Annie weighed about four tons, and that was too big a load for her to lift off the floor. She was in her winter quarters at the time of her death. If she had lived a little longer she would have had one more of her "coming-out" parties." On a certain day each spring, it was the custom for her to make a trip in the view of hundreds of zoo visitors from her winter to her summer quarters.

Find The Path To Easter Eggs



Here's an Easter egg hunt that you conduct with a pencil. Start at the bottom of this maze, and find the path that Tommy must take in order to reach the basket of Easter eggs that waits him. If you run into a dead-end or get "lost" you must go back to the bottom and start over. When you've found the trail, color the picture appropriately with crayons or colored pencils.

Dance Secrets, 10

A List Of Don'ts

By ARTHUR MURRAY
Famous Dancing Teacher

SO FAR in these installments I've been telling you what to DO for the most part. Now how about a list of dancing DON'TS for either your practicing or the real thing.

First of all, DON'T start off on the wrong foot. The man always starts with his left foot, the girl with her right.

DON'T, girls, hang your full weight on your partner's arm. He can't dance for both of you. So balance on your own two feet and support your own weight.

DON'T walk forward all the time, men. Your girl friend will get mighty tired of backing up all evening.

DON'T blame your crushed toe on your partner, girls. Maybe your back steps are too short. To get out of his way, practice long steps, stretching back with your toes

NO DEATH GRIPS ALLOWED

AND DON'T be a butterfly and flounce through the air. You have arms, not wings. Hold your left hand in a firm grip on the back of your partner's shoulder. This way, you'll keep your balance and your partner's praise.

If you men make mistakes, DON'T keep apologizing. Say "I'm sorry"—but just say it once. If you protest, "Gee, I'm clumsy," too often, someone may believe you.

DON'T forget that the best dancing position is the same as for walking. So keep erect

DON't clutch your partner's hand too firmly. You may not know your own strength. And, girls, don't take a death grip on the poor man's thumb. You've got him safely hooked for the dance. He can't get away.

You're only an inch from your partner's ear, so DON'T hum or sing loudly. This can get to be so annoying that your partner may need ear plugs and you may need a gag.

DON'T hug the floor. For graceful dancing lift your feet a fraction of an inch off the floor and move through the air. This way, you can step lightly and effortlessly.

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NEXT SATURDAY: Ballroom etiquette.

Let's Be Modern, Says Grandma

By RUTH K. KENT

ALICE DUNCAN'S soft forehead creased. "But Mrs. Weatherby has been president of the Knitting and Literary Club ever since it was organized. I don't see how we can get her to resign after giving over a quarter of a century to this club."

Martha Adam's broad mouth smiled. "Don't worry, Alice. We'll make it look like a favor to her. It's time she got out and let us young women run the club."

"Sure," Sally Cooper was knitting a sweater for her first baby. "Let's put some pep in these once-a-week sessions."

Harriet Mason was older than the other members. "Pep isn't what we want, Sally," she said gently. "But we need to modernize. The older women have dropped out and organized a sewing circle of their own. Mrs. Weatherby probably only stays on to be loyal."

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ALICE WONDERED about that. True enough, Mrs. Weatherby was the only aged member, a grandmother, and all that and her loyalty was unfaltering. But Alice felt a sudden ache at the thought of the meetings without Mrs. Mrs. Weatherby's guidance. "She's done so many good things for the club," she reminded the girls.

"Alice," Sally cut in, "what this club needs is some speakers on modern things . . . charm and makeup . . ."

Harriet smiled. "We need modern speakers. But on the arts, poeetry, flower arrangements, and such things."

"But can't we have those and Mrs. Weatherby, too?" a new member asked.

Alice squirmed. She did think modern speakers would be interesting. But she wanted no part in anything that would hurt Mrs. Weatherby's feelings.

Martha jumped up. "We'll send a committee to sympathize with her because she lost her husband. We'll tell her that she needs a rest. She has a cousin in the city and could go there for a visit . . . or to stay."

Harriet supplied, "And she hasn't had time, with her husband ill, to do so many of the things she enjoys."

"We'll give her a fountain pen," Sally supplied, "sort of a hint to write some more poetry. Everybody tries to write poetry."

"My mother liked her poetry," Alice defended.

"We'll give a luncheon next week and present her with the pen," Martha enthused. "And we'll give her a eulogy. Alice, she was a good friend of your mother's. Dig up some nice things to say about her."

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Alice frowned. She didn't want to be in on this. Still, if Mrs Weatherby let them persuade her to resign, maybe the club was a burden to her after all. "It won't be hard to find things to say," Alice said.

It wasn't either. Alice came to the luncheon with a handful of papers. "She's done so many good things," she told Martha. "She organized the school lunch fund, the letters to homesick kids. She gave the flowers that decorated the church for years, and there has never been a funeral in this town without some. There's hardly a person in town whose life hasn't been touched by her kindness."

Martha tossed her head. "Make it short. She was awfully agreeable about resigning. We had a classy speaker scheduled for today but she backed out," Martha frowned. "The committee said someone is bringing a substitute. I hope Mrs. Weatherby isn't bringing someone."

Alice shrugged. If they thought she was going to let Mrs. Weatherby leave without a few kind words . . . well, they'd be surprised. They were going to be surprised anyway. Alice had made up her mind to defy them all and ask Mrs. Weatherby to stay. They'd hate her, and she was almost afraid to do it. But she had to. She just couldn't help it.

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ALICE TOYED with her salad. She needed this clulb as an outlet from the hard work at home. The girls would hate her. But she needed to live with herself more. She was tasting her ice cream when Martha announced, Mrs. Duncan has a few word to say."

Alice rose and tugged at her new dress . . . she should have bought a 38 after all. "Ladies . . ."

Mrs. Weatherby stood up. "Just a minute, Alice dear. I'd like to say something." She looked around and smiled and Alice felt a tug at her heart. "Ladies," Mrs. Weatherby's voice was always so positive, "I'm still president here, that's why I interrupted Alice so rudely. I want to make a confession. In a moment of weakness the other day I told a few of the members that I wanted to resign from this club. But after thinking it over I realize how selfish that is."

Martha nudged Alice and whispered, "She can't do that."

"I've been thinking," Mrs. Weatherby continued, "that this club is dying on its feet. We need modern speakers, so I took the liberty of bringing an old friend of mine, Dorothy Wilson, editor of Modern Verse magazine. Dorothy will give us some pointers on modern poetry. In fact she'll probably tell you that she has published a lot of my humble verses."

Martha was elbowing Alice. "What'll we do?"

"Sh . . ." Alice smiled.

"You girls are going to have to listen to modern speakers from now on," Mrs. Weatherby promised, "I simply won't let this club mold. Now Alice, what were you going to say?"

Alice stood up, her eyes damp with tears. "I only wanted to ask if the next meeting can be held at my house," she said.

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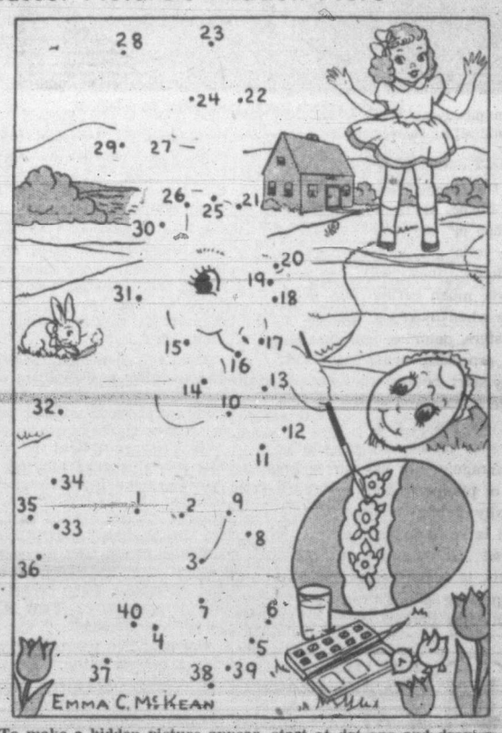

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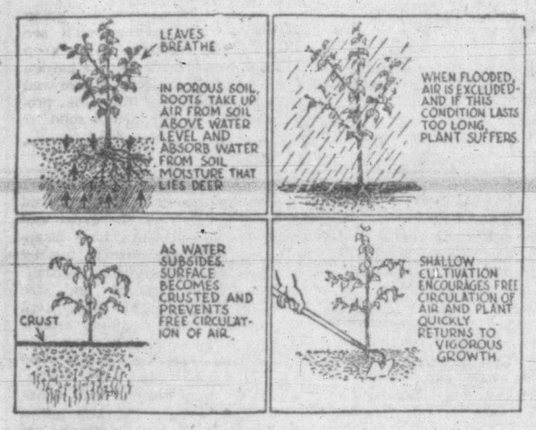
Air In Soil Is As Vital As Water To Plant Roots



Keep garden soil porous, and break up surface crust, to favor free entry of fresh air.

IMPORTANCE of fresh air to garden plant roots has been stressed by recent scientific studies, which have proved that in porous soil the air is completely changed once every hour.

Both the leaves and roots of land plants breathe. When the soil in which they grow is flooded, air is excluded, and when this condition lasts too long the plant can drown, as surely as, though more slowly than, an animal which sinks under water.

As water sinks down and drains off, air reenters the porous soil, provided the surface of the soil allows free passage. But when the surface is compacted, as a result of wetting, baking in the sun or other causes, circulation of the air is checked, and the plants will suffer.

To loosen a compact or crusted surface and restore the free exchange of air is a chief purpose of cultivation. The destruction of weeds is another. The former theory that cultivation is necessary to create a "dust-mulch" on the soil to check evaporation of soil water is no longer widely held.

But the amateur gardener, who has observed that plants grow better after the surface soil has been stirred, and the crust broken, should keep on doing this in much the same way.

Experiments have definitely disposed of the old time theory that the deeper soil is cultivated the better, however. It seems to be established that an inch, or two inches at the most, is as deep as the hoe should go down. Stirring any deeper, particularly close to plants, may disturb the roots of growing plants and do more harm than good.

Mulches over the soil will serve the same purpose as cultivation, by preventing crust formation, and keeping fresh air in the soil. Good drainage is also stressed by the studies in aeration. Unless water runs off quickly, after a flooding rain, lack of air will injure and perhaps destroy the plants.

But all these manipulations of the soil will fail, if the soil itself is not porous. This means having coarse particles, and almost any material which will serve to coarsen a heavy soil, especially one containing too much clay, will be beneficial. What builders call torpedo sand, cinders, ashes and especially limestone screenings, which have a special chemical effect in clay, may be spaded in liberally.

Above all, any kind of humus, including decayed manure, peat, and compost, will help loosen the soil, as well as improving it in other ways.

Cyclamen Care In Summer

By CECIL SOLLY

FROM Christmas until March, one of the most lovely pot plants available at the florists is the Persian Cyclamen. The most popular color is a bright cerise-red but there are other colors often available including pure white, rose and white with red markings.

They are one of the most popular gift plants for the hospital or sick room and deservedly so because of their clean and attractive appearance and quantity of flowers when first received.

Generally, however, when they have been enjoyed for a few days, the leaves yellow and the flowers fade, buds drop off and the whole plant is practically over within a week or so. The cause of this quick change is obvious. In our homes the plants are placed in a prominent position in a HOT, DRY room.

In the greenhouse where the florist grew them to such perfection the conditions were entirely different. There, it is quite cool and the air very moist. The florist keeps the plant at an almost exact temperature of 50 degrees at night and 60 degrees during the day. The "benches" in which they are grown are kept continually wet and the air moisture (humidity) has to be "just right."

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IF YOU CAN provide the exact condition in your house, the cyclamen may be relied on to provide a continuous supply of gorgeous flowers and glossy attractive foliage for about 90-100 days. If those conditions cannot be met, do not attempt to "fight" with the plant; your results are sure to be disappointing.

The first thing to do when you receive the plant is to take off the colored wrapper and ribbon and place the pot in a basin of warm water for about 10-15 minutes, until it has had a good drink. Then put the pot in a suitable jardiniere. Between the pot and jardiniere both below and at the sides, there is an air pocket. Fill this with a mixture of equal parts of coarse sand and peat moss. A few filbert sized knobs of charcoal under the pot will also help. Then place the jardiniere in a cool place where there is at least two hours of morning sunshine. The temperature should be the same as was given the plant in the florists greenhouse (50 degrees at night and 60 degrees by day). You will not be able to match the greenhouse conditions exactly but probably you have a cool room with an east window, where the air circulation is good. Water regularly by pouring warm water into the sand-peat moss material between pot and jardiniere.

Never allow the soil to become dry while the plant is in bloom.

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AS EACH FLOWER fades and is "over" cut it off carefully with a pair of scissors as low down as possible. On no account should you allow faded flowers to remain on the plant; they "take" too much from the later buds.

In May, it is normal and natural for the plant to rest. Active growth slows up and the leaves begin to deteriorate. Water is gradually withheld until the top of the plant is practically dry which takes about four or five weeks. Dust the exposed corm with fine garden sulphur and take the pot out in the garden, place the pot on its side in a cool shady spot. Under an evergreen against the north wall of the house is a good spot.

Do not allow the pot to quite dry. Water it lightly by moistening it about once every fifteen days.

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IN LATE AUGUST new sprouts will appear on the corm. Pot it in a rich soil mixture composed of equal parts of peat moss, sand and compost. Care should be taken not to disturb it more than necessary. The corm must be at least half out of the potting soil.

About a month later, the pot may be taken indoors, returned to the jardinier and allowed to resume its place in the cool east window where it bloomed so well in the spring.

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SOME GARDENERS have found by experience that it is not necessary to repot in fall when the plant is brought indoors, but this "care" must be left to one's individual judgement and experience as well as the condition of the original pot soil.

While the plant is making its new leaf and bud growth it must be carefully tended. See that it gets enough plant food. An average application about every two weeks is about right. Water regularly.

Many gardeners use egg shell water frequently. Others drop a pinch of Epson Salts (Sulphate of Magnesium) into the water at each feeding. Some use a liquid chemical plant food containing Vitamin B1 frequently. Judging by the health and vigor of the plant and the good color of its leaves determines the amount to use.

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THERE IS ONLY one bad pest which attacks this type of cyclamen. It is a tiny "mite" which may be readily controlled. The old-fashioned method was to "plant" several small pieces of camphor in the pot soil. Another recent finding has been the use of Lysol, at the rate of one teaspoonful to the gallon of water, as a soil disinfectant. There are several good garden insecticides recommended for the control of these mites. I find they are best applied as a "soaking" to the soil.

There'll Be More For Next Christmas

Nurseryman Horace Lindsey is shown examining a healthy cyclamen plant with apprentice Dick Bowden of Beacon Hill Nurseries. "These popular plants have been blooming since Christmas," said Mr. Lindsey, "but most of them are beginning to wilt and we are only concentrating on a few plants to be kept for seeds." Mr. Lindsey added that young cyclamen plants, now about two inches in height, are being started for next Christmas.

Porous Soil For Seed

MANY hazards lie in the path of a seed sown in the garden. Its life may be destroyed before its sprout emerges from the soil by drowning, when water stands too long in the spot where it was sown; or by disease, especially in cold damp weather, which encourages the growth of molds and fungi, while delaying germination of the seed.

Disinfectants are obtainable, to protect them from disease. But one of the greatest hazards is due to the formation of a soil crust above the seeds, which they cannot penetrate. It might be said that the soil which covers the seed will determine whether it grows or dies before it reaches the surface. It will pay to take especial care to ensure that this covering does not form a crust.

It is a good plan to save your best loose sandy loam to use in covering seed. Mix in all the compost you can and, lacking compose, use peat moss. Then after the seed is sown, cover with this special soil, which will not form a crust and will allow both water and air to penetrate for the benefit of your seedlings.

This treatment is especially important in hot weather, when most soil is liable to bake into a hard crust.

Soil must be firmed above the seeds to form close contact, and prevent air spaces from separating the soil and seed. This is especially important with beet and Swiss chard seeds, and others of large and irregular shape. But firming does not mean pounding. Press down with the hoe blade, or use the side of a rake; and afterwards draw the lake lightly over the row to break up the crust and prevent baking.

Experienced gardeners learn through trial and error to watch this point, and take precautions to avoid conditions which may prevent seeds from growing. A heavy rain falling soon after the seed is sown may pack the soil too hard, especially if it is followed by sunshine. Until the seed has sprouted the soil surface over it should be moist and loose.

When the ground dries out excessively in the spring it will pay to sprinkle the rows in which seed has been sown to prevent them lying dormant for lack of moisture. This is the only time when the garden should be sprinkled rather than soaked.

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Poultry Growth

ADVANCEMENT in the knowledge of poultry nutrition has been so rapid during recent years that it is difficult to keep in touch with the new findings.

Vitamin levels required for the growth of a bird, however, have been fairly well established. Only six vitamins, namely, A, D, riboflavin, pantothenic acid, pyridoxin and choline, are of practical concern to poultry producers, says Morris Novikoff, Poultry Division, Central Experimental Farm, of the Dominion Department of Agriculture.

A knowledge of the sources of the vitamins is essential if the birds are to be given the amounts necessary. Alfalfa meal and other green feeds, fish oils, fermentation by-products, dried skimmed-milk, liver meal, and yeast are a few of the important vitamin concentrates.

Although the quantity required in the diet is so small, the amounts present in the common poultry ingredients are also proportionally small, so that large quantities have to be included to meet the requirements of the growing bird. These can be met easily by using synthetic vitamins and the vitamin concentrates mentioned.

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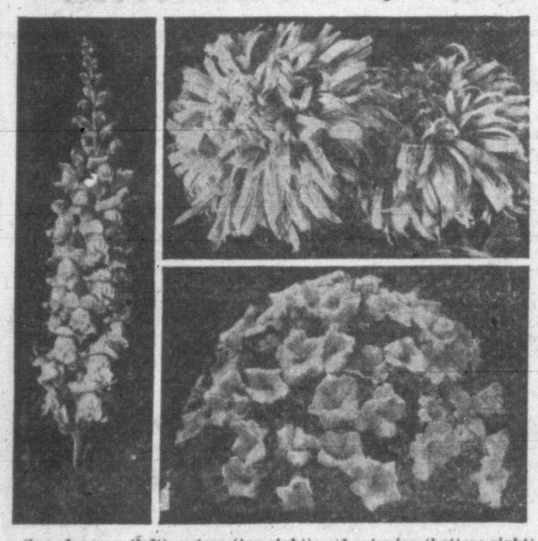
TO SUPPLY vitamin A (disregarding the amount supplied by the other ingredients of the ration) for the critical period of growth up to eight weeks of age, the following amounts per 100 lbs. of ration would need to be used: Half lb. fish oil (1000A) or 3 lbs. of dehydrated alfalfa leaf meal, or 7 lbs. dried alfalfa leaves, or 15 lbs. of alfalfa meal. For riboflavin, .16 grams (.0004 lbs.) of synthetic riboflavin, or 9 lbs. of liver meal, or 10 lbs. of yeast, or 18 lbs. dried buttermilk, or 30 lbs. alfalfa meal or 50 lbs. fish meal would be required. For choline 0.2 lb. of synthetic choline chloride, or 45 lbs. soybean meal.

It should be remembered that each feed ingredient in a poultry ration (excluding the mineral supplements) furnishes a certain amount of these vitamins, and the amount in the ration from such sources would be deducted from the quantity indicated above to fulfill the birds' requirements.

Obviously it is not practical to supply the vitamins from some of the above sources because of the quantity required and its cost, but the relationship between the vitamin supplements as to vitamin value is clear from the above. Therefore, it is necessary to calculate the level of these vitamins in the ration and supplement where necessary by the above ingredients according to their relative values as indicated by the quantities shown.

In this article full details of the function, actual acquired levels, source and stability of each vitamin concerned are not given. There are many books and articles on the subject. Complete information on the compounding of rations will be found in a bulletin, Poultry Feeds and Feeding, Publication 541, which is available from the Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Slow-Growing Flowers Need Extra Early Start



Snapdragons (left), asters (top right) and petunias (bottom right) should all be started under protection for a long harvest of flowers.

MOST annual flowers will stand transplanting, and if sown in the house, or in a greenhouse, hot-bed or cold frame, weeks before it is possible to sow them outdoors, they will begin to flower much earlier than otherwise when moved to the garden.

Asters, petunias and snapdragons especially should have this early start, because they are slow to germinate and mature. In setting out plants rather than sowing seed direct there is another advantage, which lies in the placing of plants. Since flowers are usually planted in borders, rather than in rows, and often must be placed between established plants, it is not easy to be sure of growing plants from seed in exactly the desired location. Another advantage is that thinning out plants becomes unnecessary and seed thus goes much father.

Many flowers have very small seed, which must not be covered deeply, lest growth be prevented; sometimes indeed the seed is just pressed into the soil. It is important that flower seed be sown in loose soil, rich in humus, which will not become too compact, or form a crust which might prevent the seedlings from emerging. Many garden soils do not answer these specifications, but it is usually easy to find enough of the best type of soil to fill a few flower pots or seed boxes, in which seeds may be sown with assurance tha tthey will germinate and grow well.

Because of this, gardeners often sow all flower seeds in this way, even outdoors, and move the plants when ready to locations where they are desired. Seed boxes are easier to manage outdoors than under protection, and growth is more rapid than in the garden, for plants in a seed box which can be shaded when desirable, and watered frequently, or kept constantly moist by automatic watering.

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Sprinklers For Pastures

THE possibility of using sprinkler irrigation for pastures during the dry midsummer period has been a matter of considerable interest to farmers on the Saanich Peninsula and Fraser Valley.

Intensive dairying requires sustained production and pasture is the cheapest means of producing milk. The areas, moreover, are generally suited to the development of high quality pasturage.

However, a summer moisture, particularly during July and August, is very limited. For example, over a 55-year period records at the Dominion Experimental Farm, Agassiz, B.C., says M. F. Clarke, show that on the average the total rainfall for July and August is only 6.4 per cent of the yearly total. Also the two months combined barely equal the average for May or September.

During the 1947 season a careful check was made on the operation of a sprinkler system on a high-grade pasture field in the Sardis district. In addition to checking on yields and costs of irrigating a series of fertilizer applications were studied. Irrigating started early in July and three applications of water were made during a two-month period, each amounting to 2-2½-acre inches of water.

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FOR the remainder of the pasture season, July to early November inclusive, the average increase in green forage for three irrigated treatments amounted to 161 per cent. In terms of dry matter the increase was 122 per cent, the irrigated grass being more succulent and therefore carrying a slightly lower dry matter percentage.

The cost of irrigating, including depreciation at 10 per cent, electric power, and labor, averaged $14.33 per acre for 33 years.

Owing to the heavy sustained production extra fertilizer was deemed necessary and three treatments were made on different areas. These ranged from $4.95 to $13.81 per acre.

Expressing the increased dry matter production in terms of second crop alfalfa hay at a price of $35 per ton, the average net profit after deducting fertilizer plus irrigating costs amounted to $32.87 per acre.

Furthermore, the heavier rates of fertilization appeared more profitable than the minimum rate.

As a further check one fertilizer treatment was applied early in July to a non-irrigated section of the field and this failed to give any increase in yield in the dry summer period.

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PRIOR to the start of the experiment, June rainfall was slightly above average. July and August were rather dry, however, being only 63 per cent of normal at Agassiz. September and October on the other hand were better than average.

During the fall, however, the irrigated plots continued to produce at a higher rate than the non-irrigated. The areas not receiving irrigation dried out rather badly in August and failed to recover fully in the fall.

This test during the 1947 season indicates somewhat striking possibilities for sprinkler irrigation of pasture. But because of the relatively high capital investment in sprinkler equipment, certain requirements must be met if it is to be used profitably.

These are: First, high-grade pastures containing a good balance of grasses and legumes; second, a high state of soil fertility; and thirdly, good grazing management.

In addition, generous fertilizer applications are advisable to offset the added drain of heavy midsummer production.

Hi Ho! Hi Ho! It's Off To Plant They Go!

With forks over their shoulders, eight English schoolboys herald the first promise of spring by heading for their school garden. These children, all under 10, have already built an ornamental pond in their school garden in Willesborough, England. Now, under the guidance of their teacher, they're going to plant a regular garden.

Prune Popular

THE Italian prune, at its best, is a blue plum of such quality and sugar content that it may be dried to become the well-known prune of commerce.

When grown to perfection it is one of Canada's choicest fruits. Once its unique qualities are known it becomes a favorite as fresh dessert fruit and for canning, jam or jelly. The sweet-acid flavor, rich wine color of the juice, and the recognized health-giving qualities of the Italian prune, place it among the standard fruits grown in British Columbia, says J. E. Britton, Dominion Experimental Station, Summerland, B.C.

For many years the Italian prune did not receive the recognition it deserved. Prune trees had been planted on soil considered unsuitable for other fruits and little attention was given to maturity when marketing.

During the past 10 years the picture has changed. More prunes are being grown, the importance of proper maturity is recognized, and marketing procedure is greatly improved. The crop has more than doubled and new plantings, on favorable sites, indicate further increase. Attention is also being given to maintaining and further improving high quality.

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NEW plantings should consist of one or other of two new strains known as Greata and DeMaris. These are identical with the regular Italian prune but are about two weeks earlier, thus they often escape the cool weather which slows down maturity and ripening and tends to lower quality.

Pruning is most important in bringing back older trees to the production of well-sized, good quality fruit. Enough large wood should be cut out to open the tree to light. Sufficient fertilizer should be applied to ensure new wood terminal growth ranging from 10 to 16 inches.

Finally, the old fruit spurs should be reduced in number, by either cutting or breaking off from one-quarter to one-half of them. In this way the crop is thinned and improved in size and quality.

WASH TUBBS

FUNNY BUSINESS

By Hershberger

"Hello! Mr. Inspector? Can I deduct the cost of paper I used to figure my income tax?"

"You'll have to overlook my husband—he insists on being on time regardless!"

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

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SO LONG MOLLY

By ADDISON H. HALLOCK

THERE are some things a wife just wouldn't know about. Like how a man wants her to look as smooth as other wives—a little smoother even. Maybe a guy doesn't say much, but deep down he feels it. If he catches other dames eyeing his best girl because she happens to look shabby, he—well, he doesn't like it. But you can't let on to the little lady how it is. Especially when it's your fault. You keep your mouth shut, if you're any kind of guy at all.

Molly—that's my wife—isn't the complaining kind. If her hemline is higher than the other girls' she just laughs, "This new look, I'm not the type." Remember when all the gals came out with those dark nylons? I asked her why she didn't get some.

She always had a warm smile and a big hug and kiss

"What with?" asked Molly, and blushed. She didn't mean to let that slip out, and I knew it. I pretended not to notice.

"Oh, Bill," she added quickly, "I don't like those dark colors, they depress me," and said it as though she meant it. But she wasn't fooling me.

Molly holds her head as high as any of them. To look at her, you'd never know she'd brought four kids into the world either. How she keeps that swell figure is beyond me. You'd think she was 20 instead of 34.

A girl like Molly deserves the best. And, believe me, when I happened to look into our closet for something one night and discovered that she had only a frayed suit and a couple of dresses that had seen better days I didn't like it. Not that we were going out anywhere. I couldn't handle that part of it any better than I could clothes, what with the government grabbing a share of everything I was bringing home, and that wasn't much.

Apparently the only thing worrying Molly was me—and the kids, of course.

"Bill," she'd say, "you need a new hat," or "honestly, Bill, that suit of yours! It's falling apart. We'll have to get you a new one. After all, your job."

And sure enough Molly arranged it so I got the hat—and the suit, too, though I'll never know how. And the kids didn't go hungry, either.

Well, it got so that every time I looked at Molly, I'd feel lower and lower. Night after night I'd come home, and there'd be Molly in the kitchen, tired but neat as a pin. She always had a warm smile, and a big hug and kiss. And me? Sure, I was working hard—but wasn't getting anywhere. I didn't have the kids on my neck all day, like Molly. Same job, same salary, week after week, year after year—that was me. I couldn't manage to bring home cheap toys for the kids, let alone afford to take Molly to a movie!

But, like I say, there are some things a wife wouldn't know about. Like how he feels a failure. Like how, all of a sudden, something snaps. A man goes berserk. And finally, he does something.

What does he do? Well there's no predicting. One man does one thing; another something else. Maybe what he does will hurt those closest to his heart. Even if he's only trying to help. You can't blame a wife—especially a sweet, undemanding wife like Molly—to know there are some things a guy will steal for, maybe even commit murder for. You can't expect a wife to know about things like that, except, maybe, after it's too late.

I've been thinking a lot lately. About Molly and me . . . and the kids. A wonderful wife, Molly. And kids a father can be proud of. Yes, I've been thinking. I've had time to think, plenty. But there isn't much left, now. Time is running out. But I still keep wondering about what might have been.

The turnkey asked a little while ago what I wanted to eat. Said I could have anything I wanted tonight. But I just said I guessed I wasn't very hungry, somehow. He smiled in a sad sort of way and shook his head. Then he went away.

The turnkey is coming back now. I'd recognize that shuffle anywhere. He's been nice to me, the turnkey has. But I'm still not hungry. I guess it doesn't matter. There's not much more time, now, anyway.

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ROMANTIC MAN

By FRED GORDON

"THIS is certainly a fine home you have here, George," I said. "A neat, cosy little place." I smiled at George's wife, Mrs. Wallace, and said: "I'll bet you're in love with it." She gave me an agreeable smile and suddenly jumped to her feet.

"Oh, please excuse me," she gasped excitedly, "I forgot all about my roast. A few more minutes and you men wouldn't have had any meat tonight. I had better take a look!"

I called after her as she walked to the kitchen. "Better make that roast good, Mrs. Wallace—meat's a treat to an old bachelor like me."

In that small moment a warm fire's shadows playing on George's face, a strange feeling came over me. Here was George, my closest boyhood chum. This home was his, this warm fire, all the security and happiness it suggested—and that pretty, amiable woman in the kitchen, his wife. And what did I have? Nothing. A happy-go-lucky life, perhaps. But that was all. None of the world of George Wallace.

"To Mrs. Wallace," I toasted.

"To the girl who stood on the street-corner in the rain," he returned.

"You son-of-a-gun," I laughed, setting easily in a plush chair, "picking up a girl on a street corner, in the rain, and making her your wife! Good old George Wallace — always the romantic man!"

George laughed. "I'll always remember that night," he said dreamily. Pictures, old scenes were coming back to him from the depths of his mind, from a safe in which they had been treasured years ago. "I'll always remember," he repeated. He lit a cigarette and offered me one. For one full minute we sat there, smoking; George in thought, and I awaiting the words.

His eyes were fastened to the jumping red tongues of the fire. "Was raining like it never rained before," George began. "One of those nights, you know. It just seems to rain and rain until you think it'll never stop.

"That night must have been back a good many years, Harry, More years than either of us old codgers would like to recall. Still, every little thing about it is as plain to me today as it was then, when it all happened.

"Some fellas will tell you about love, how it comes, about mutual understanding, and all that. Don't believe it, Harry; when it hits you, I can tell you—yes, even for the old duck that I am — when it comes, you know it. And when it comes, it stays"

He watched his cigarette smoke climb to the ceiling.

"I must have been a lucky star that made you two meet on the street corner in the rain," I chuckled.

"I was standing on that street corner, shivering in the rain, when I saw her. We stood there, saying nothing, for a minute—just looking and feeling something happen. A million thoughts came to me then, crazy things, and I start building dreams—real castles—before I even heard her speak, or before she even spoke to me. Maybe she thought I was batty. I don't know, just standing there getting drenched, and looking at her.

"What was it I said first. Oh, yes, 'Little wet out,' I said. When I heard her voice I knew. It was music, music."

I smiled. "You're just a romantic guy," I said.

"Well, sir," George went on, oblivious of me, "we got on a streetcar and rode up and down the line that night. Crazy kids we were, hour after hour—talking to each other on a streetcar, looking out into the rain and dreaming . . . I'll always remember it, Harry; every little word we said. . . ."

Suddenly he stood up, crushed his cigarette in an ashtray, and gave a hearty yawn. "You're right," he said.

"What do you mean?"

He laughed. "I'm just a romantic old fool. . . . How's the dinner coming, honey?" he called.

"All set, boys. Come and get it."

We sat at the table chatting lightly. "This is really some dinner, Mrs. Wallace," I said. "Roast supreme!"

"It's lucky I came back to the kitchen on time," she said. "I just saved it."

I smiled. "Well, it certainly turned out beautifully."

I nudged Harry and said, "With meals like this, a fine home like this—well, it must have been a lucky star that made you two meet on the street corner in the rain, eh?" I chuckled.

"Street corner? In the rain?" Mrs. Wallace returned, half-smiling. "Why George and I met at a party!" She beamed on George. "Didn't we, dear?"

George said, "That's right. I'll never forget it. . . ."

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A KISS IN TIME

By CAROL ELY HARPER

IF YOU marry that Captain you like down at Fort Walla Walla, and when he's back on his next scouting trip to St. Louis, he falls for a St. Louis belle and deserts you and the Indians out here—and, meantime, I manage somehow to grub out the sagebrush on my land and raise a million beeves on it, and get some kind of a house built for us—will you divorce him, and marry me?"

Dark, lean Tom Van Vranken, Snake River cowboy and new homesteader, held his neighbor's daughter's hands in a tight grip. They stood on the long porch of her father's ranch house. The last rays of a brilliant summer sunset poured on them.

Marian tossed her yellow head merrily. Her slanting blue eyes laughed teasingly.

"Sure!" she agreed. "When you produce that million calves! But not before!" She relaxed and scowled. "Now, Tom!" she scolded—"How many times have I got to tell you 'no'? Don't you see I know you too well to get interested in you that way? Your Dad and mine coming here in the same wagons, taking up homesteads side by side. Me growing up with you, Tom! And now you starting a homestead of your own close! You bringing me home from your place on the back of your horse when I was a kid, when my old Sally would jump the fence—oh, that Sally! Remember? — and some home without me? Digging caves in the bank behind the bunkhouse, till Dad made us stop, to keep the hill from caving in! Oh, Tom—don't you see? Milking the cows with you? Branding the cattle? Driving them — bartering with the Indians at Fort Walla Walla—"

"And kissing you—when I got a chance—" Tom's hands tightened, and he glowered. Like last night, here, when we got back from fighting that fire at Dan's? Are my kisses an old story, too?"

"Yes, that's just it!" she frowned. "Oh, don't you see, Tom?—I have known you so long that—well, you're just like an old shoe—not a thrill in a wagon load!"

His jaw shot out, fire flashed in his eyes, and he caught her in his embrace, in hard arms muscled from breaking horses and bulldozing steers. "By heaven, Marian!" he choked—"I'll be anything but an old shoe! 'Not a thrill in a wagon load!' Is that so, you little devil! Well, take that! and that! and that! And remember how it feels, because I'm never going to kiss you again"

Then he dropped her as abruptly as he had seized her. As he strode off into the yard toward the gate, she recovered her breath and cried after him—"Tom Van Vranken, I hate you! Don't you ever come near me again, you beast!"

She rubbed her arms where his hands had hurt her, and stared after his disappearing dark height and clinking spurs in

He caught her in his embrace.

blind fury. "No, sir, don't you ever come back!" she choked after him from between clenched teeth —"Of all the insulting, vulgar, tinhorn cowhands I ever knew, you are the worst!"

"Just what I had decided!" he stopped at the gate to fling back. "I've been a fool, reaching for a hifalutin' gal like you! That's why I'm going down to the cookhouse right now, and ask Eva to marry me!" With a mocking laugh he vanished in the shadows toward the ranch cooky's house.

Marian, her hand to her amazed, gaping mouth, listened to his steps turn in at Cook Charlie's house 50 feet further on In stupefaction she heard Tom's baritone then rise in fervent song.

"Come, my love, the stars are shining, time is flying! — love is sighing—!" he sang pleadingly. What! Was he actually serenading Eva, Charlie's pretty 16-year-old daughter?

Marian, with a sob of fury, plunged into the ranch house and through the big kitchen and into her bedroom. Racked with angry tears she flung herself upon her bed. The regenade! The horsethief! To kiss her like that, and then go out immediately and start serenading dark-eyed cooing Eva, who had been following him all over the place, like a pet calf, for weeks now!

Marian stuffed back a shriek of anger as she heard Tom's baritone rise upon a high, clear, ringing note—every word distinct!

"Come, Eva, my love, for thee I'm pining!" Tom sang.

Marian ran to her window and threw it open and looked out. Yes—there was Eva's face in the cookhouse window, the window was open, Eva's face was bent to Tom's, Tom had stopped singing. Now he was lifting his lips to Eva's—!

"Tom! You — you!" Marian shrieked, as Tom's lips closed on Eva's.

She ran to the door and out on the porch and through the gate Heedless of the sutpified Eva, Marian flung herself wildly upon the unconcerned Tom. She kicked him in the shins and scratched his face.

She dragged him away. "You!" she cried in wrath. "You come back to our porch, where you'll not be so apt to make a donkey out of yourself!"

"Ha!" Tom laughed softly, as he encircled her with his arm, and led her, still fuming and shaking, up onto her porch—"Not a thrill in a wagon load, eh? Listen, shall I kiss you again, Marian?"

"Oh, Tom!" she trembled. "I didn't know—anything—until I saw you kissing that—that horrid Eva! Now...I've found out—I guess I don't care fiddlesticks for that Indian-fightin' harem-scarem Captain at Fort Walla Walla!—Oh, Tom! Kiss me—quick!"

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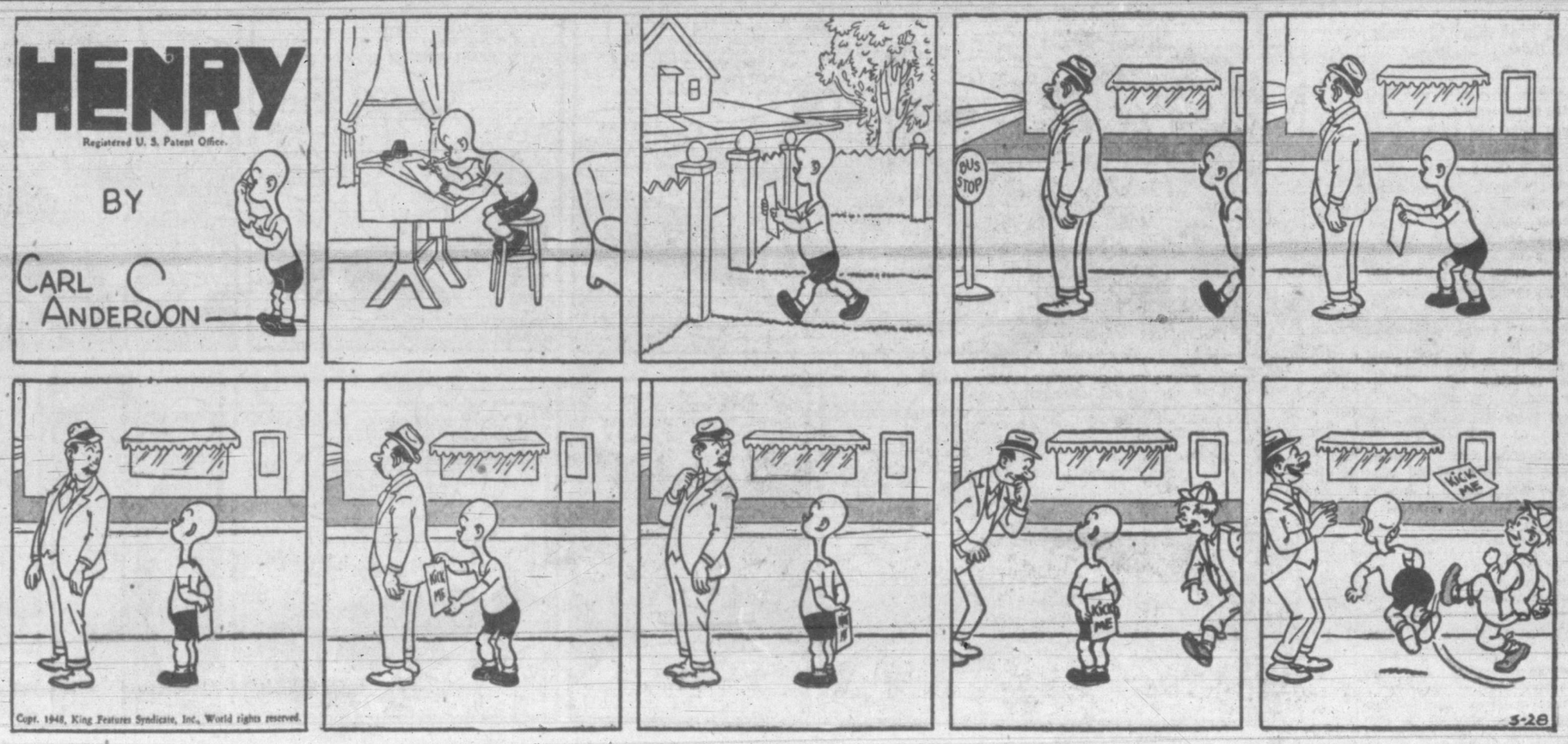

Top Hat And Overalls

By RAE RESNICK

DOCTOR GIFFORD was close to 90, and he admitted, "I'm beginning to feel old age creeping up on me." But he still had his dream about two great kids he had brought into the world, then seen orphaned in a fire. As the orphanage doctor, he had adopted them unofficially, watched them grow up, go to school, fall in love. Fall in love. But would he live to see them married?

"Darned if I'm going to sit here and feel sorry for myself," he thought. "I'll show 'em Doc. Gifford's as spry as ever."

It was close to Easter and he would get them to spend their holidays with him even if he had to whine about an old man's last request.

After he finished the letters to Joyce and Paul, he returned to the armchair and the two youngsters. They had known poverty. That was why Paul wanted to make sure of a secure future. Joyce had agreed that he should study law. She could wait. But after he was gone, she found her days empty. So she had found a job—modeling. Paul had become a brilliant lawyer and Joyce a successful model. Had they changed because of that?

There were two trains that day. Joyce was arriving on the first one — Paul on the second. He waited nervously.

"Oh, D-Doc," Joyce sobbed, "I'm s-so glad t-oo see y-you. I should've c-come a l-long time ago, b-but Chicago's so f-far away."

Still lovable and unspoiled. Paul must be to blame. He cleared his throat noisily. "Stop blubbering over my new suit, child. Cook wants to know what you want for dinner."

"I still like the same th-things."

"The same man, too?"

"You're the best, Doc."

"I mean, do you still love Paul?"

"I love the boy who went away, but he's a big shot now. We have nothing in common any more."

Love's a good thing to have in common, Doc thought. "He's coming today. He'll be in time for dinner." Her eyes avoided his.

Success glared from Paul's clothes, his manner, the way he walked.

"Joyce is here, too."

"Oh?"

When they came into the living-room, Joyce stood in the stairway, as though in a deliberate pose, her hair fashioned in an upswept, sculpturesque hairdo. She looked cold, hard, sophisticated. Trying to impress Paul, Doc thought angrily.

During dinner, he was heartbroken. He could hardly stand those two youngsters—the way they were each secretly in awe of the other's success, and the way they tried to act up to their reputations. If they'd only let their hair down. But Doc wasn't sure about Paul.

After dinner, Joyce went to her room to fix her face. Paul stared at the floor. "Doc, have you changed, too. or can we still have one of our talks?"

An ecstatic pain squeezed his heart. This was more like old times. "What is it, Paul?"

"What can a man do if he's worked like a fireman, driven himself to reach a goal, only to find that there is no such goal?"

"Meaning?"

"I slaved for years so that Joyce would have something after we got married. Now that I can give her those things, she isn't there any more—the old Joyce, I mean. Even if I didn't care that she'd changed, she couldn't possibly want me now. She's sophisticated, worldly, and I'm just—well, you know."

Gifford stood up and went to Joyce's door. "Joyce. Go and do the dishes. Cook's tired. Tell her to give you one of her housedresses."

She came out. Tears stood in her eyes. "Oh, no, Doc," she pleaded. "Not tonight. A fine mess I'd look."

"Do as I say," he insisted.

Then he went back to the living-room. "Paul, go into my room and find a pair of overalls. You're going to help Joyce with the dishes."

"Doc, have a heart. It's not that I mind doing dishes. But how would I look to Joyce, wearing a pair of undersized—"

"Do as I say," he ordered. Dirty dishes, working clothes and sophistication go together like a top hat and overalls, he thought. Let them try and act the sophisticates. dressed like that and washing a stack of dirty dishes.

An hour later, he peeked into the kitchen. The dishes were still stacked in the sink. Joyce and Paul were busy with other things.

He went to the telephone and dialed. "Hello, Judge. This is Doctor Gifford. Get hold of a marriage license and come over here tomorrow. There's going to be a wedding."

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